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Grand Jury returns six indictments

The Morgan County Grand Jury met Sept. 16 and returned six indictments charging six defendants with 15 felony counts and two misdemeanors. Those indicted were:

Jody L. McClurg, 26, McClurg Road, West Liberty, committing the offense of exploiting Elizabeth Buckner, an adult, to secure money by deception.

Eula Nicole Sowards, 29, Wells Hill Apartments, West Liberty, nine counts of criminal possession of a forged instrument by possessing checks drawn of Family Bank.

James Cody Gillespie, 23, Stingy Fork Road, West Liberty, 3rd degree burglary of an outbuilding of Larry Fraley.

Timothy J. Nickell, 22, War Creek Road, West Liberty, one count of 1st degree possession of a controlled substance (oxycodone), one count of 2nd degree possession of a controlled substance (seboxone), one count of possession of prescription drugs not in proper container.

Eddy D. Deloach, 36, EKCC, 3rd degree assault of a correctional officer and one count of being a persistent felony offender 2nd degree.

Ronnie L. Patrick, 58, Salyersville, 2nd degree burglary. Patrick is charged with entering the dwelling of Jeffrey Jenkins on July 29, 2008, while armed with a pistol, and assaulting Jenkins with his fists, causing physical injury.

A grand jury indictment is an allegation, not proof, of wrongdoing.

Franklin receives PVA certification

FRANKFORT, Ky. — Morgan County Property Valuation Administrator Darby Franklin has received his certification for successfully completing the Kentucky Course 44 — Mathematics of Property Valuation — administered by the Kentucky Department of Revenue and the Office of Property Valuation September 22-25 in Frankfort.

Franklin, who was elected Morgan County PVA in November 2007, is currently working toward obtaining the professional designation as a Certified Kentucky Assessor.

Flu vaccine available at Health Department

Flu vaccine is now available at Morgan County Health Department. The cost per each vaccination is $20. Medicare, Medicaid, or Humana insurance is accepted by the health department. For appointment, phone 743-3744.

Board of Elections to meet Tues., Oct. 14

The Morgan County Board of Elections will meet Tuesday, Oct. 14, at 9 a.m. at the County Office Building to inspect the voting machines for the Nov. 4 general election.

Education is what survives when what has been learned has been forgotten. —B.F. Skinner

Mrs. Janell Potter's Creative Arts students are shown at work painting bluebird houses to be auctioned at the annual "Picnic for the Puppies" Saturday, Oct. 25, at the RECC Fairgrounds at Malone. Proceeds will go to Helping Hands for Animals for spay/neutering and other programs

MCHS art for the animals

Bluebird houses to be auctioned at annual 'Picnic for the Puppies' Oct. 25

Morgan County High School Creative Arts students are collaborating with Helping Hands for Animals in an effort to raise money for a stray and unwanted animals program in Morgan County.

Mrs. Janell Potter's art students are designing and hand-painting functional bluebird houses to be auctioned at this year's annual "Picnic for the Pups' fund-raiser.

The bird houses were constructed by Prison Industries personnel at Eastern Kentucky Correctional Complex and donated for the event, and Chris Lindon's Agriculture Construction Class at MCHS graciously added some finishing touches on the houses to make them even more functional.

This year's "Picnic for the Pups" will be held Saturday, Oct. 25, at the RECC Fairgrounds at Malone. The event will feature a delicious fall dinner, music by "Flip the Switch," and a silent auction of the birdhouses that have been painted by Mrs. Potter's Creative Arts students.

Tickets for the event are $10 per person and may be purchased ahead by calling 606-743-7261 or 606-743-1240, or leave a message.

All proceeds will go to Helping Hands for Animals, a non-profit 5013C organization, to support a spay/neuter assistance program, adoption, and educational programs.

The birdhouses will be on display prior to the event, and there will be a contest to vote on your favorite birdhouse, with prizes going to the top three favorites.

Everyone is invited to come out and support the students and Helping Hands for Animals by buying a ticket to this year's "Picnic for the Pups." The event will be held rain or shine , and hopefully, outdoors, weather permitting.

Morgan Co.'s first Walk to Remember slated at Old Mill Park this Sunday

Local parents who are struggling with the death of a child will have the chance to honor the child's memory during Morgan County's first Walk To Remember event at 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 12, at Old Mill Park.

Walk To Remember, which is being coordinated by local nurse Tonya Nickels, of Ezel, will provide support for bereaved parents, family and friends of children.

Nickels said during a recent Kiwanis Club presentation that the Walk to Remember started on Oct. 25, 1988, when former

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AUTUMN IN THE MOUNTAINS—Although transportation costs are high and we are are all busy with work, children, friends, church, etc., maybe it's time to relax for just one weekend. Why not plan on a weekend drive tthrough Wolfe, Morgan and Elliott counties and enjoy the astounding patchwork of brown yellow, red and orange foliage. It will be time and money well spent.

EKCC employee's act a reflection of community, people

By John Motley

I read the article in The Courier about Herky Allen and his honor system pumpkin stand. It was a great reflection on our community.

Another case in point: On Saturday of the Sorghum Festival, my niece, Mrs. Jackie Isaacs, who lives in Ohio, came to town to take in the festivities. On her way home from shopping at the festival, she set her purse on top of her car while placing her purchases in the trunk. In the hustle and bustle and excitement of the festival, she forgot about her purse on the car's top. While leaving town, the purse fell off in the road without her knowing.

A while later, Heather Nickell, Nurse Services Administrator at Eastern Kentucky Correctional Complex, was driving across the town bridge and noticed a purse lying in the middle of the roadway with credit cards and cash loose and flying around on the pavement. In the midst of the rush of traffic coming to the festival, Ms. Nickell stopped her vehicle and retrieved the purse and all of its contents scattered in the middle of the road.

After checking the contents of the purse for some identification, she found a phone number in Ohio. She then called the number and talked to Mrs. Isaacs' husband, who in turn called his wife and gave her Ms. Nickell's phone number. They met at a local restaurant and Mrs. Isaacs was given back the purse and all the contents that had been retrieved from the road.

Mrs. Isaacs was elated and could not believe she had gotten everything back, including a fairly large amount of cash.

An excellent example of the goodness and honesty that abounds in our community.

Signups begin Nov. 3 for Home Energy Assistance

As winter approaches, Gateway Community Action will begin the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) in an effort to assist low-income residents with high heating costs. LIHEAP is a statewide initiative sponsored by Community Action Kentucky in partnership with the Cabinet for Health and Family Services (CHFS).

Applications will be taken in alphabetical order of the last name of the household in the following order:

A, Monday, Nov. 3.

B, Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 5 and 6.

C, Monday and Wednesday, Nov. 10 and 12.

D and E, Thursday, Nov. 13.

F and G, Monday, Nov. 17.

H, Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 18 and 19.

I and J, Thursday, Nov. 20.

K and L, Monday, Nov. 24.

M, Tuesday, Nov. 25, and Monday, Dec. 1.

N, O, and P, Tuesday, Dec. 2.

Q and R, Wednesday, Dec. 3.

S, Thursday, Dec. 4, and Monday, Dec. 8.

T, Tuesday, Dec. 9.

U, V, and W, Wednesday, Dec. 10.

X, Y, and Z, Thursday, Dec. 11.

Applications will be taken from November 3, 2008 through December 11, 2008. Please call your local outreach office to make an appointment.

Applicants must present the following:

• Most recent heating bill or verification from your landlord that heating expenses are included in rent (i.e. lease agreements);

• Social Security number or Permanent Resident (Green card) number for each member of the household;

• Proof of all household income for the prior month;

• Birthdates of all household members.

Application Schedule Listed

• If heating with keorsene, wood, coal, or fuel oil; MUST provide a metered utility bill for the household being applied for to prove 911 address.

Applicants are encouraged to call ahead for appointment to apply at their local county Outreach Office: Bath County Outreach (606) 674-2502, Menifee County Outreach (606) 768-2369; Montgomery County Outreach (859) 498-5345; Morgan County Outreach, (606) 743-3133; Rowan County Outreach (606) 784-7735.

The beneift amount that each household receives will be based on income and the type of fuel used for heating. All eligible households will receive a benefit. Benefits will be made payable to the household's primary or secondary heating fuel vendor.

LIHEAP Crisis will begin on January 5, 2009 to March 31, 2009, or until all funds are expended. This component of LIHEAP assists those in an emergency situation concerning their heating source. For more information concerning this component of the LIHEAP program please contact your local county outreach office during this period.

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Winners at the 2008 Morgan County Fair listed

Class 146: Pieced Pillow – First place Henrietta McKinney.

Class 147: Any Other Pillow – First place Sue Howard, second place Josephine Hicks.

Class 150: Any Quilted Item Not Listed – First place Sue Howard, second place Cheryl Akers and third place Melissa Smith.

Class 153: Counted Cross Stitch – First place Sandra Gunder.

Class 156: Cross Stitch Picture – First place Melissa Smith.

Class 161: Hand Embroidery – First place Sue Howard, second place Judy Elam.

Class 163: Machine Embroidery – First place Josephine Hicks.

Class 167: Afghan (Knitted) – First place Inge Elam.

Class 170: Baby Item – First place Inge Elam.

Class 174: Afghan (Crochet) – First place Linda Gevedon, second place Inge Elam and third place Bernice Bolin.

Class 177: Baby Item – First place Linda Gevedon, second place Melissa Smith.

Class 180: Rug – First place Inge Elam.

Class 182: Any Specialty Crochet – First place Melissa Smith, second place Bernice Bolin.

Class 191: Other Child's Garment – First place Sue Howard.

Class 196: Any Article Not Listed – First place Sue Howard.

FINE ARTS

Crafts

Class 199: Pottery Item – First place Sandra Gunder.

Class 200: Cloth Doll – First place Sue Howard, second place Virginia Terry.

Class 201: Any Folk Art (Small) – First place Josephine Hicks, second place Martin Cox.

Class 202: Any Folk Art (Large) – First place Martin Cox, second place Vernell Sheets and third place Sandra Gunder.

Class 206: Christmas Ornaments – First place Henrietta McKinney.

Class 208: Christmas Item – First place Sue Howard, second place Melissa Smith.

Class 210: Any Patriotic Item – First place Melissa Smith, second place Vernell Sheets, third place Josephine Hicks.

Class 211: Seasonal Decoration – First place Josephine Hicks.

Class 212: Handmade Jewelry – First place Vernell Sheets.

Class 215: Wood Carving – First place Martin Cox, second place Sandra Gunder.

Class 216: Wooden Item – First place Josephine Hicks.

Class 217: Handwoven Basket – First place Danny Akers, second place Vernell Sheets and third place Henrietta McKinney.

Class 218: Any Arts And Crafts – First place Vernell Sheets, second place Danny Akers, third place Debi Howard, Brenda Angus, Missy Smith, Bernice Bolin, Tiffany Bradley and Josephine Hicks.

Photography

Class 222: Scenic – First place Paul Lyons.

Class 224: Animal – First place Sandra Dye.

Class 227: Heritage – First place Linda Gevedon, second place Anna Jean Allen and third place Sandra Dye.

Class 228: Heritage – First place Sandra Dye.

Class 230: Any Other Black And White – First place Paul Lyons, second place Angie Elliott and third place Sandra Dye.

Class 231: Portraits – First place Bernice Bolin, second place Andy Parr, third place Sandra Dye, Vernell Sheets, Angie Elliott, Anna Jean Allen and Ashley Buchanan.

Class 232: Human Interest – First place Sandra Dye, second place Linda Gevedon, third place Anna Jean Allen, Angie Elliott and Ashley Buchanan.

Class 233: Scenic – First place Paul Lyons, second place Brenda Angus, third place Debi Brewer, Elaine Bartley, Sandra Dye, Angie Elliott, Julia Johnson, Benita Akers, Dwayne Akers, Anna Jean Allen, Ashley Buchanan and Andy Parr.

Class 234: Floral – First place Paul Lyons, second place Sandra Dye, third place Angie Elliott, Ashley Buchanan, Vernell Sheets, Elaine Bartley, Debi Brewer, Benita Akers, Dwayne Akers and Anna Jean Allen.

Class 235: Animals – First place Anna Jean Allen, second place Sandra Dye and third place Angie Elliott.

Class 235A: Pets – First place Sandra Dye, second place Ashley Buchanan, third place Angie Elliott and Anna Jean Allen.

Class 236: Children – First place Anna Jean Allen, second place Bernice Bolin, third place Angie Elliott, Sandra Dye and Ashley Buchanan.

Class 237: Action Sequence – First place Vernell Sheets, second place Ashley Buchanan.

Class 238: Heritage Photo – First place Ashley Buchanan, second place Angie Elliott and third place Sandra Dye.

Class 240: Any Other Color Photo – First place Anna Jean Allen, second place Paul Lyons, third place Ashley Buchanan, Andy Parr, Angie Elliott and Sandra Dye.

Flowers

Class 241: Potted Plant – First place Anna Jean Allen.

Class 242: Potted Plant (Flowering) – First place Katrina Leach, second place Donna Leach, third place Brenda Angus and Wanda Lane.

Class 242: Hanging Basket – First lace Donna Leach, second place Wanda Lane.

Class 244: Garden Floral Arrangement – First place Jennifer Adkins, second place Josephine Hicks, third place Donna Leach, Inge Elam and Ashley Buchanan.

Class 245: Wild Flower Arrangement – First place Ashley Buchanan, second place Vernell Sheets and third place Bernice Bolin.

Class 247: Mini Arrangement – First place Angie Elliott, second place Elaine Bartley and third place Virginia Terry.

Rug Making

Class 253: Any Other Rug – First place Cheryl Akers.

Scrap Booking

Class 254: Scrapbook (Original) – First place Sandra Dye.

Class 256: Scrapbook (Wedding) – First place Sandra Dye.

Class 257: Any Other Scrapbooking – First place Sandra Dye.

Class 258: Acrylic Painting – First place Amber Sparks, second place Tiffany Keeton and third place Felicia Keeton.

Class 259: Oil Painting – First place Norma Young.

ADULT FOOD PRESERVATON AWARDS

Special Ball Food Preservation Award winners do not receive monetary awards, but coupons for food preservation supplies and books. Winners are as follows:

Class 1: Fruit – First place Virginia Terry.

Class 2: Vegetables – First place Brenda Angus, second place Alane Nickell, third place Elaine Bartley and Virginia Terry.

Class 3: Pickled Foods – First place Norma Young, second place Linda Gevedon.

Classic Soft Spreads – First place Virginia Terry, second place Linda Gevedon.

OVERALL CHAMPIONS

Food Preservation – Alane Nickell, tomato juice.

Textiles – Inge Elam, hand-knitted afghan.

Food Preparation – Brenda Angus, light yeast rolls.

Crafts – Sue Howard, cloth dolls.

Congratulations to all exhibitors in the County Fair! Your hard work makes the exhibit area worth viewing. It is time to tart on projects for the 2009 County Fair. If you are interested in exhibiting, call the extension office at 743-3292 to inquire today.

DIDN'T HAVE TIME

The great dividing line between success and failure can be stated in five words: I DID NOT HAVE TIME.

—Henry Davenport

The hard work of 18 Morgan County gardeners shone through in a beautiful display of 132 entires for the Agricultural Field Crops and Gardens division. From applies to zucchini, there was great produce for everyone to admire.

Rebecca Ball and 4-H Agent for Youth Development Kim Cox.

Overall champion in food preservation Alane Nickell with her tomato juice.

Overall champion in textiles Inge Elam with her knitted afghan.

4-H Agent for Youth Development Kim Cox and 4-H Teen Club members Faith Weddington, Lauren Burton and Josh Reynolds.

Debbie Ratliff and Susie Blevins.

From left: Melissa smith and daughter, Linda Gevedon, Virginia Terry and Alane Nickell. Pictured at the table (left to right) are Ruth Brown, Billie Jean Collinsworth, Debi Brewer, Erma Stamper and Debbie Ratliff.

Henrietta McKinney, Elaine Bartley and Monica Hall.

Everyone's invited
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- The contestant may submit only one photo entry.
- No slides or negatives will be accepted.
- Commercial Bank assumes no responsibility for any photos.
- Late or mutilated photos are not eligible.
- All judges' decisions are final.

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I am 18 years of age or older. I have entered only one photo.

I can reclaim my photo at the Commercial Bank after printing of calendar during regular business hours. Commercial Bank will not be responsible for photos not claimed, lost or misplaced after these dates.

Date _____
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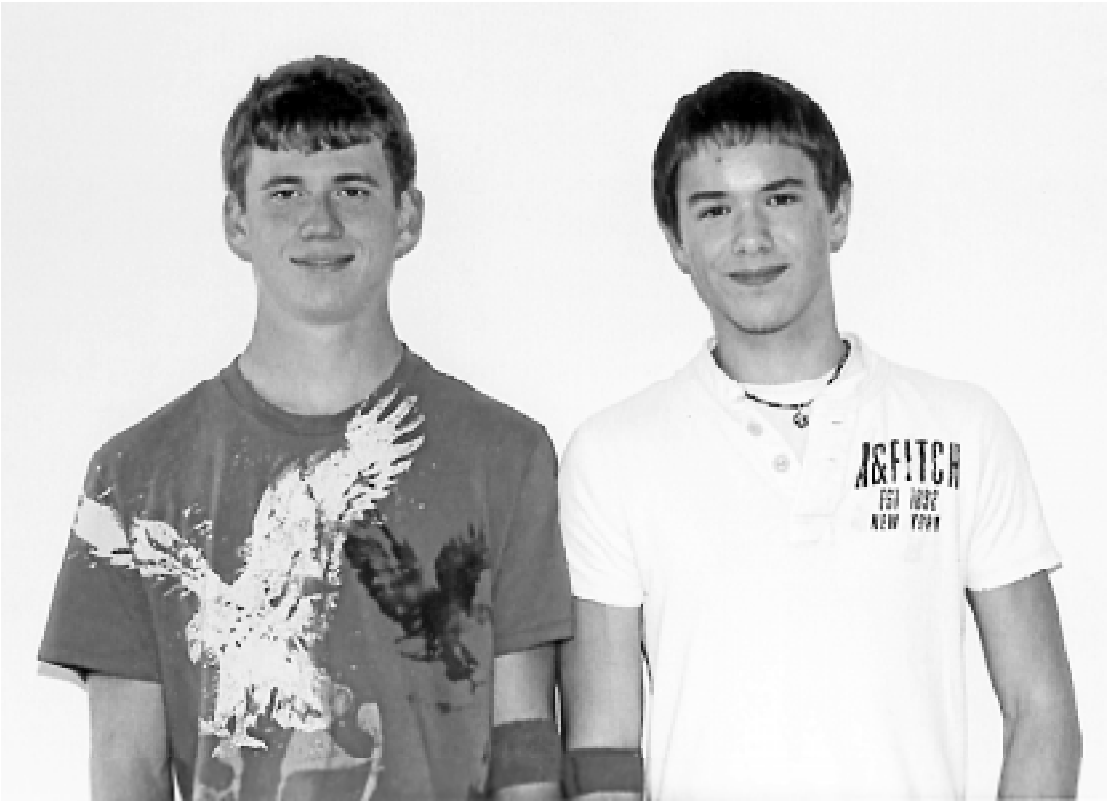

Local 16-Year-Olds Donate Blood At Drawing

Cory Murphy (left) and William Holbrook, both 16, came to the blood drawing on Sept. 1, gave blood and left with a smile. "Helping someone in need" is a motto for them and for all. The next blood drawing is Tuesday, Dec. 11. Participants of 16 years of age must bring a photo ID and written parental permission.

Local teacher among 24 Outstanding Ky. Educators

The Kentucky Department of Education and Ashland Inc. have selected 24 outstanding Kentucky educators, including two from the local area, as recipients of the 2009 Ashland Inc. Teacher Achievement Awards (TAA). These teachers will now compete for the 2009 Kentucky Teacher of the Year Award, which will be announced next month.

The teachers honored from this area are:

From Elliott County, Lonnie Laney, Elliott County High.

From Morgan County, Sabrina Back, Morgan County Middle School.

All 24 teachers will be honored at a ceremony in Frankfort October 22 in the State Capitol Building. Representatives of the Kentucky Department of Education, the Governor's Office and Ashland will be on hand to honor the teachers and to recognize the Kentucky Elementary, Middle and High School Teachers of the Year. From that group of three finalists, the Kentucky Teacher of the Year will be named and will represent the state in the National Teacher of the Year competition.

Ashland will present the 24 TAA recipients with cash awards and framed certificates at the awards ceremony in Frankfort. The three Kentucky Teachers of the Year also will receive cash awards and custom-designed glassware commemorating their accomplishments, and all 24 educators will be honored at a special luncheon that day.

The Kentucky Teacher Awards program combines the best elements of the Ashland Inc. Teacher Achievement Awards and the Kentucky Teacher of the Year programs. This marks the eighth year the Department of Education and Ashland have jointly honored Kentucky educators.

Judging was conducted in August by a blue-ribbon panel of veteran educators, many of whom have more than 30 years of teaching experience. Applications included information on the nominees' teaching philosophies, their teaching experiences and involvement in their respective communities, as well as letters of recommendation from peers, students, parents, administrators and others.

Ashland has recognized outstanding Kentucky teachers with its Teacher Achievement Awards since 1988. More than $550,000 has been awarded to nearly 350 teachers of grades K to 12.

Bailout renews subsidies for natl. forest counties

The emergency legislation to ease the credit crisis includes "several billion dollars in education and road funding for some of the nation's most remote communities, through programs aimed at helping areas with large swaths of untaxed federal land," reports Bettina Boxall of the Los Angeles Times. The biggest item was a four-year extension of the eight-year-old program to compensate counties with national-forest land for decreases in logging.

"Rural counties, most of them in the West, have collected about $500 million a year under the program," Boxall writes. "Oregon, California and Washington have been the biggest beneficiaries. The initial round of funding expired two years ago, and since then attempts to extend the program have been buffeted by politics. At one point the Bush administration proposed selling national forest parcels to raise money for the payments. Last year a one-year extension was included in an Iraq war funding bill. This year advocates attached funding proposals to various bills, only to see the money dropped at the last minute. The financial uncertainty prompted widespread cutbacks in school staffing and programs."

The bailout bill also contained a four-year extension for the payment-in-lieu-of-taxes program, in which the federal government compensates local governments for taking land off the tax rolls, and a one-year extension, to 2010, of the $9 million annual appropriation to the Abandoned Mine Reclamation Fund.

—Ky. Institute for Rural Journalism

Line dancing class underway now at MSU at W. Liberty

Have you been looking for a class in line dancing? Have you tried other lessons only to leave frustrated that you could not keep up with the pace of the class?

Morehead State University's Office of Continuing Education is offering a class at MSU at West Liberty that may suit your skill level.

Some instructors show you the step, however, May Gilliam will teach you how to do the step. She invites interested parties to "come experience our style of teaching and put that frustration to rest."

Classes are underway every Tuesday from 6-8 p.m. starting Oct. 7 in the Commonwealth Room. The classes are free to the general public and advance registration is not necessary.

A customer service representative will gladly assist you with registration, directions, or other questions you may have regarding the 6,000+ courses now available through the Office of Continuing Education. Visit online at www.moreheadstate.edu/oce or call (606) 783-2875.

Kentucky Horse College dates are scheduled

The Kentucky Horse College will be conducted 7-9 p.m. Oct. 13 and 27, and Nov. 3 and 10, at the Bath County Extension Office.

Topics will include nutrition/feeds and feeding, reproduction, health and hoof care.

A registration fee of $20 is due Oct. 1. Contact the Morgan County Extension Office for more details at 743-3292 and to pre-register. All participants will receive a Horse College cap.

This event is hosted by the Licking River area agricultural agents.

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If interested Call 606-743-4677 (SERIOUS INQUIRES ONLY)

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Forest supervisor orders emergency campfire ban

On Monday, Oct. 6, Forest Supervisor Jerome Perez issued an emergency order that bans campfires outside of developed recreation areas. The order prohibits "building, maintaining, attending or using fire, charcoal or campfire outside of a developed recreational site" on the Daniel Boone National Forest. In addition, the order bans all fireworks forest-wide. This order will remain in effect until further notice or up to 120 days.

"The emergency order is necessary to ensure public safety," Perez said. "This is a preventive measure to further reduce risks of escaped campfires, which often result in uncontrolled wildland fires during this time of year.

"Firefighters have been fighting a fire all weekend in the Red River Gorge that is a result of an abandoned campfire that escaped. Unfortunately, this campfire turned into a 567-acre wildfire, requiring hundreds of hours of work by more than 50 firefighters and other Forest Service personnel."

Without significant precipitation, an active fire season is expected this fall throughout Kentucky. According to the National Weather Service in Jackson, Ky., several drought conditions continue for parts of Eastern Kentucky. A recent drought information statement by the NWS has documented September 2008 as the driest September on record for London, Ky., and the second driest for Jackson.

Some rain is predicted in the forecast later this week, which may bring some temporary relief from the drought. However, without continuing rainfall, the forest ground fuels typically dry within a couple of days.

"I encourage all campers and all other visitors to the forest to use extreme caution with fire and to help our firefighters by reporting any activities that could result in an uncontrolled fire," Perez said.

Any individual or group responsible for causing a wildfire can be held liable for the costs of suppression. Violations of the forest supervisor's order may be punishable by a fine up to $5,000 for an individual and up to $10,000 for a group or organization, including the potential for imprisonment up to six months.

Currently, nearly 50 Kentucky counties have issued county-wide fire bans under county judge executive orders. While several of these counties include National Forest System (NFS) lands of the Daniel Boone National Forest, the forest supervisor is applicable only to NFS lands.

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OTHER VIEWPOINTS

Cleaning Up Court Construction Mess

Chief Justice Moving To Rebuild Trust

The first step, it's often said, to solving a problem is acknowledging it.

Kentucky Supreme Court Chief Justice John D. Minton, Jr., did just that last week when he announced several changes in the near-billion-dollar construction budget for courthouses, also known as judicial centers, in Kentucky.

The new chief justice said he's making the proposal to "shore up public confidence" in the program, a subtle but real way of saying the courthouse building boom has damaged trust in our state's court system.

To recap: In the last decade, under then Chief Justice Joseph Lambert, Kentucky has spent more than $880 million on 65 new courthouses. Elaborate palaces have been built in some of our poorest counties, often displacing significant historic buildings.

Although the program is rife with cronyism and most contracts are let without competitive bidding, there's been very little outside oversight.

The Administrative Office of the Courts, which runs the program, is immune from the state's open-records law, so it can decide what it wants to let the public know about these huge expenditures.

Minton hasn't pledged yet to completely open AOC records, as we would like, but he has taken some important steps:

•Creating an online tracking system for "every penny" spent on these projects.

•Taking steps to include public input on projects, including better notice of meetings of the boards that oversee them.

•Asking the National Center for State Courts to take a look at AOC's administrative procedures.

•Asking State Auditor Crit Luallen to take "a closer look" at judicial center projects.

These actions are a good sign of Minton's interest in creating a culture of accountability in this huge, flawed program that he inherited from his predecessor.

But they are just first steps toward changing a system that has support because it has spread building projects around the state while enriching key people.

It will take time and determination to finally arrive at a fundamentally better system.

We wish Minton well and urge him to keep at it.

—Lexington Herald-Leader

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First Walk ...

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President Ronald Reagan proclaimed October as Pregnancy and Infant Loss Awareness Month, an opportunity to increase understanding of unborn and newborn babies' deaths.

Following President Reagan's declaration, Jan Cornett, head nurse of the women's care unit at Mary Chiles Hospital in Mt. Sterling, began a walk for those suffering the loss of a child through miscarriage and still birth. The event was eventually extended to include anyone who has lost a child, regardless of age.

Nickels, who lost her daughter, Ashley, in December 2003, began attending Cornett's Walk To Remember event in October 2004.

The Walk To Remember schedule of events at Old Mill Park on Oct. 25 is as follows:

• Introduction/Welcome by Tonya Nickels.
• A Mother's Thoughts by Marie Elam.
• "When Tomorrow Starts Without Me" by Tonya Nickels.
• A Father's Thoughts by Jimmy Conley.
• Prayer by Jimmy Conley.
• "Consider The Lillies" by Jamie Beth Nunnery.
• Special recognition of children and reading of names by Kayla Dye.
• Poem, "Today We Walk," by Tonya Nickels.
• Walk dedicated to children.
• Tree ribbon ceremony.
• "Jesus Loves Me" by Ezel First Church of God Youth.
• Balloon release.
• Conclusion with a special gift to all mothers.

For more information on the Walk To Remember event, please contact Tonya Nickels at 725-446 or knickles@mrtc.com, or Marie Elam at 606-666-5793 or meboyd@yahoo.com.

Tommy asked his mother, "What was the name of the last station where the train stopped?"

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"But," said Tommy. "that's where little brother got off."

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Questions and answers about public notices

Public notices published in newspapers provide citizens a window into government. Most of the information for the following questions and answers comes from the booklet "Public Notice: An American Tradition, An Examination of the Role of Newspapers in Public Notice," published by the Public Notice Resource Center and American Court & Commercial Newspapers.

1) What is a public notice?

A public notice is information informing citizens of government or government-related activities that affect citizens' everyday lives.

2) Why do we need public notices?

An important premise found in both federal and local governments is that information about government activities must be accessible in order for the electorate to make well-informed decisions. Public notices in newspapers provide this sort of accessibility to citizens who want to know more about government activities.

3) What is the history of public notices?

The history of public notice begins long before the emergence of newspapers. The concept has existed since early civilizations posted notices in public squares. This crude method was eventually refined with the publication of the first publication of the first English language newspaper in 1665 – a court newspaper called The Oxford Gazette.

In America, the Acts of the First Session of the First Congress in 1789 required that all bills, orders, resolutions and congressional votes be published in at least three publicly available newspapers.

Upholding the public's right to know has been essential to our country's way of life since day one. Our government governs with the consent of people, and this consent must be informed.

4) What are some examples of a public notices?

There are many kinds of public notices. Publication of proposed budgets for local governments, notices of local government hearings, bid notices, board and agency meeting minutes and pre-election notices are just a few examples.

5) Are newspapers the most effective vehicle for public notices?

Public notices published in newspapers ensures readership by those most likely to be interested in or affected by the notices. Plus, the notices arrive at readers' homes or places of work in a newspaper filled with local news and information that compels readership.

Newspapers are paid to publish public notices, which guarantees that valuable newspaper space will be devoted to notifying the public. The system works the same way in which qualified vendors are paid to provide goods and services to government entities, such as contractors who build schools and roads or an office supplies store that wins a bid to sell office supplies to a government agency.

In recent years, some have questioned the need to publish notices in local newspapers, saying that the Internet has become so widely used that it represents a better way of informing the public. The Internet can play a role in a better informed citizenry, but public notices buried in government Web sites cannot replace the value delivered by newspapers. The permanence, stability and independent verification offered by publication of public notices in newspapers ensure citizens have access to bonafide, trusted information about the business of government.

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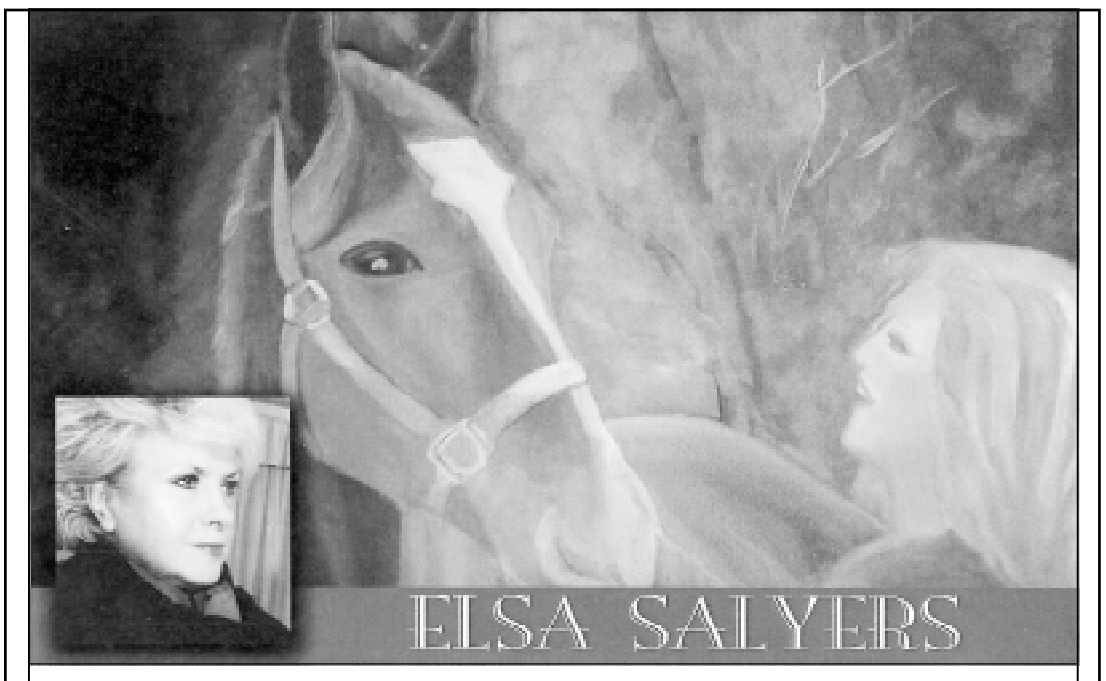

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AREA DEATHS

Ric L. Smith

Ric L. Smith, 49, of Morehead, formerly of West Liberty, died Friday, October 3, 2008, at St. Claire Regional Medical Center, in Morehead.

He was born June 23, 1959, in Montgomery County, Ohio, a son of Oma Phipps Smith Porter and the late Grover Smith.

Ric was employed as a Supply Tech at Guardian Industries, in Morehead.

He was preceded in death by his father, Grover Smith; maternal grandparents, Dave and Ethel Phipps; and paternal grandmother, Cindy Smith.

Survivors include his mother, Oma Phipps Smith Porter and Gene Porter, of Morehead; two sisters, Diane Perdue, of Buskirk, and Jackie and Jody Hobbs, of Dayton, Ohio; two brothers, Mark and Angie Smith, of Buskirk, and Ray and Janna Smith, of Trent; six nieces, Jamie Smith, Danyell Perdue, Brooke Hobbs, Gracie Hobbs, Leah Hobbs, and Madison Smith; three nephews, Dave and Terri Perdue, Wayland Smith and Logan Hobbs; great niece, Davanna Perdue; two aunts, Chris Tyler and Wanda Nickell Ward; great aunt, Rilda Phipps; six uncles, Ronald Smith, Blacky Smith, Hershell Smith, Sherman Smith, Jimmy Smith, and Mitchell Phipps; many cousins, and his dog, Mia.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday, Oct. 6, at Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home, with Rev. David Hinton officiating. Burial followed in the Perkins Cemetery, at Buskirk, with Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home, of West Liberty, in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Dave Perdue, Mike Perkins, Will Adkins, Gene Cornett, Jimmy Owen, Nick Phipps, Rodney Tyler, and Brad Nickell.

Send memorial condolences: www.heraldstewarthalseyfh.com.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Shirley Stacy would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all of our family and friends who showed their love and support following the death of our Mother. Your cards, flowers, food, visits and prayers were a true comfort during this time of sorrow. A special thanks to Dr. Frederick and the staff at Morgan County ARH, Pastors Johnny Dagnan and Eugene Haney, Quentin Murphy, Jody McClurg, Edna Mae Lewis, Lick Fork Pentecostal Church, Florist, Herald-Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home, and Kenny Perry. Everyone's kindness and thoughtfulness was greatly appreciated.

The Shirley Stacy Family
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Ruie Coffee Wright

Ruie Coffee Wright of West Liberty, Ky., passed away Thursday, October 2, 2008, at Morgan County ARH Hospital, West Liberty, Ky., at the age of 78 years, 5 months, and 5 days. She was born on Sunday, April 27, 1930, in Morgan County, Ky., daughter of the late Harvey and Elizabeth Lykins Coffee.

She was united in marriage to Dewey Wright. To this union were born eight children. Ruie was a homemaker, devoting her life to care for her family and her home. She was a born again Christian and a member of the Glenn Avenue Church of God. She enjoyed sewing and raising and working in the garden.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Dewey Wright, and three children, William Clayton Wright, Patricia Aileen Wright, and baby Wright.

She is survived by five children, James and Sharon Wright of Hamilton, Ohio, Robert and Sharon Wright of West Liberty, Connie and Tod Clement of Houston, Texas, Donna Wright and Tammy and James Kelly, all of West Liberty, sixteen grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral service 11:00 a.m., Saturday, October 4, 2008, at the Potter Funeral Home with Rev. Jimmy Tharp and Rev. Gary Fields officiating. Burial in the Elam Cemetery, Spaws Creek, West Liberty, Ky. Visitation 6:00 p.m., Friday, October 3, 2008 at the Potter Funeral Home.

Pallbearers: Josh Wright, Tyler Smith, Keith Young, Zachary Wright, James Kelly, R.J. Banks, McKinley Coffee, and Scott Coffee.

Sign guest book at www.potterfuneralhomeinc.com

Mary E. Francis

Mary Elizabeth Francis, 75, of Blaze Road, West Liberty, died Wednesday, October 1, 2008, in the St. Claire Medical Center, in Morehead, after an extended illness.

She was born March 31, 1933, in Morgan County, Kentucky, a daughter of the late Smith Francis and Bertha McGuire Francis.

Elizabeth was preceded in death by 2 great-grandchildren, 5 sisters and 2 brothers.

Survivors include four children, Anna Ruth and William Harper, of Malone, Sue and Thurston Vance, and Bonnie and Paul Hager, both of West Liberty, and Odis Lee Hall, of Blaze Road, West Liberty; an honorary son, Donald Henderson, of Blaze; 9 grandchildren, 24 great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends.

Funeral services were conducted at 6 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 4, at Herald and Stewart and Halsey Chapel, with Rev. Eugene Haney and Rev. Vernon Lewis officiating. Interment followed in the Valley View Family Cemetery, on Liberty Road, West Liberty, with Herald and Stewart and Halsey Funeral Home, of West Liberty, in charge of arrangements.

Active pallbearers were Johnny Bush, David Wagoner Sr., Ricky Ison, David Wagoner Jr., Chris Keeton, Cody Harper, Michael Wagoner, and Josh Davis.

Honorary pallbearers were William (Dorn) Johnson, William Scott Harper, Donnie Gene Vance, James Oakley Harper, Paul David Hager, and David Thurston Vance.

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Noka Halsey

Noka Halsey, 85, of Frenchburg, died Saturday, Oct. 4, 2008, at St. Joseph of Mount Sterling, in Mount Sterling.

She was born January 1, 1923, in Morgan County, Kentucky, a daughter of the late Howard Bailey and Emma Ealem Bailey.

Noka was a loving homemaker, and was a member of Pomeroyton Union Church, in Pomeroyton, Ky.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clint Halsey; one son, Danny Joe Halsey; two brothers, Jessie Bailey and Frank Bailey; six sisters, Callie Buchanon, Goldie Chambers, Lona Beasley, Lora Stamper, Lola Brooks, and Mallie Bailey Tutt.

Survivors include two sons, Billy Halsey and Mary, and Shirley Halsey and Rosetta, both of Frenchburg; 7 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren and 3 great, great grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 7, at Menifee Home For Funerals Chapel, with Rev. Terry Wells and Rev. Jimmy Daulton officiating. Interment followed in the Catron Cemetery, at Pomeroyton, with Menifee Home For Funerals, of Frenchburg, in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Timmy Halsey, Terry Halsey, Scotty Halsey, Keith Halsey, Marty Halsey, and Jordan Halsey.

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Roger A. Jenkins

Roger A. Jenkins, Sr., 72, of Dayton, Ohio, passed away peacefully Monday, October 6, 2008, at his residence.

He is preceded in death by his parents, John Ed and Vergie Burchett Jenkins; sisters, Marvie Smith and Nannie Mae Smith, and grandson, Jason Yates.

Roger is survived by his wife of 53 years, Alberta Jenkins; children Carolyn Sue Hillje, Roger Jenkins, Jr., and wife Cheri, Donna Jenkins, Geary Jenkins and wife Sharon, Sherry Towe and husband Steve, and Kimberly Jenkins; 11 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; six brothers nd sisters-in-law, Joe O. and Jean Jenkins, Henry and Fay Jenkins, Raleigh and Elva Jenkins, Ernest and Brenda Jenkins, Larry and Connie Jenkins, all of West Liberty, and Bobby and Rissie Jenkins of Fairborn, Ohio; two sisters and one brother-in-law, Jenetta and Clyde Helton of Hwy. 746, Campton, Ky., and Ella Williams of West Liberty; two sisters; numerous nieces, nephews and other family and friends, including his dog, Pacino.

He was a wonderful husband, father, and papaw and will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him. Funeral services will be held 10:00 a.m. Friday, October 10, 2008, at Newcomer Funeral Home, 4104 Needmore Road, Dayton, Ohio. Family will receive friends from 5:00-7:00PM Thursday October 9, 2008 at the funeral home. To send a special message to the family please visit www.NewcomerDayton.com.

Elvin Lee Ferguson

Elvin Lee Ferguson of Greenup, Ky., formerly of West Liberty, Ky., passed away Wednesday, October 1, 2008, at Kings Daughters Medical Center, Ashland, Ky., at the age of 58 years, 1 month, and 16 days. He was born on Tuesday, August 15, 1950, in Morgan County, Ky., a son of the late Denzil E. and Ivory Carter Ferguson.

He was a forklift operator for Southwestern Portland Cement Company. He served his country in the United States Army during the Vietnam War.

He is survived by his brother and sister-in-law, Denzil Ferguson, Jr., and Mary Ferguson of Miamisburg, Ohio; one niece Tracy Lynn Ferguson of Miamisburg, Ohio; one uncle and aunt, Rex and Bessie Carter of Fairborn, Ohio, and several other aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Funeral service was at 1:00 p.m., Sunday, October 5, 2008, at the Potter Funeral Home with Rev. Donald Cox officiating. Burial was in the Cottle Cemetery, Zag, Ky., with Potter Funeral Home in charge.

Pallbearers: Family and friends.

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James E. Rowland

James Edward Rowland, 61, died Sunday, Sept. 14, 2008, at his home in Nicholasville, following a brief illness.

He was born June 2, 1947, at Ezel, Kentucky, to the late Marion and Elizabeth Shelton Rowland.

He is survived by Lotta, his wife of 41 years; two sons, Darrell (Sarah) Napier, of Hazard, and James Rowland, of Nicholasville; a granddaughter, Danielle Napier; three sisters, Glenda (Keith) Ewert, of Warner Robins, Georgia, Linda Rowland and Ruth (Edward) Bryant, of Frenchburg.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, Sept. 17, at Betts and West Funeral Home, in Nicholasville.

Quotable Quote

I may not always be right, but I'm never wrong.

Isaac Asimov

Jessie B. Hughes

Jessie Brewer Hughes, 74, of Denniston, died Monday, Sept. 29, 2008, in the St. Joseph Hospital, in Mount Sterling, following an extended illness.

She was born April 19, 1934, in Menifee County, Kentucky, a daughter of the late Stanley Brewer and Nettie Back Brewer.

In addition to her parents, Jessie was preceded in death by one sister, Loretta Frisby; and three brothers, Emery Brewer, Emil (Chink) Brewer, and Victor Brewer.

She was a retired Menifee County Elementary School teacher for thirty-four and one-half years, and a Kentucky Colonel, as well as a cancer survivor.

Besides her family, she loved teaching the most.

Survivors include her husband of 52 years, Carl Hughes, of Denniston; and one daughter, Carla Hughes and fiance', Michael Lovejoy, of Denniston; also several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday, October 2, at Menifee Home For Funerals, with Bro. J.D. Trimble and Jahanna Lane officiating. Interment followed in the Back Cemetery, at Wellington, with Menifee Home For Funerals, of Frenchburg, in charge of arrangements.

Active pallbearers were Jesse Back, Michael Lovejoy, Ronnie Welch, Simon Back, Joe Back, and Earl Ray Botts.

Honorary pallbearers were James Lawson and Randy Daugherty.

Memorial condolences may be sent to www.menifeehomeforfunerals.com

Suzanne R. Cantrell

Suzanne Renee Cantrell, 28, of Lower Sand Lick Road, West Liberty, died Monday, October 6, 2008, at her residence.

She was born March18, 1980, in Morgan County, Kentucky, a daughter of Charlene King Cantrell, of West Liberty, and the late Edgar Cantrell.

Survivors in addition to her mother include three brothers, Johnny Ray Cantrell, of Isonville, Jimmy Allen Cantrell and James Arte Cantrell, both of West Liberty; and one sister, Rhonda Cantrell May, of Paintsville.

Funeral services conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday, October 9, at Fishtrap United Baptist Church, at Staffordsville, with Elder Frankie Williams, Elder Sammie Reed, and Elder Melvin Wright officiating. Burial in the Jones-Robins Family Cemetery, at West Liberty, with Jones-Preston Funeral Home, of Paintsville, in charge of arrangements.

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AREA DEATHS

Pauline Keeton

Pauline Keeton, 82, of Fairborn, Ohio, went to be with the Lord on Wednesday, October 1, 2008, at her residence.

She was born April 24, 1926, in Sandy Hook, Kentucky, a daughter of the late Walter and Cora (Prewitt) Bowling.

Pauline was a member of the Faith Hill Church of God, and was a Kentucky Colonel.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her first husband, Denzil DeBorde; second husband, William Dalton; 2 brothers and 5 sisters.

Survivors include two daughters, Beverly (Harry) Marthaler, of Fairborn, Ohio, Cathy (Gary) Beaty, of Sebring, Florida; two sons, Michael (Betsy) DeBorde, of Fairborn, Ohio, Bryce (Kathy) DeBorde, of Woodland Park, Colorado; seven grandchildren, Tony (Marsha) Farley, of Springfield, Ohio, Laura (Chris) Meder, of Fairborn, Ohio, Aaron (Kristi) DeBorde, of Texas City, Texas, Eric Marthaler, of Fairborn, Ohio, Jamie (Erica) DeBorde, of Fairborn, Ohio, Tara DeBorde, of Divide, Colorado, Ryan DeBorde, of Woodland Park, Colorado; four great grandchildren, Skyler DeBorde, of Texas City, Texas, Allyson Meder, of Fairborn, Ohio, Chloe Hupp, of Huber Heights, Ohio, Braylin DeBorde, of Fairborn, Ohio; a sister, Pearl Lowe, of Sacramento, California; her best friend, Alvena and Gene Fannin, of Fairborn, Ohio, as well as numerous nieces, nephews, stepbrothers and step-sisters.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 4, at Belton-Stroup Funeral Home, with Bro. Eugene Haney and Bro. Tooney Easterling officiating. Burial followed in the Byron Cemetery, with Belton-Stroup Funeral Home, of Fairborn, Ohio, in charge of arrangements.

Memorial contributions were suggested to Hospice of Dayton.

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.BeltonStroup.com.

THESE PRAYERS WE OFFER

Dear God, where there is darkness, we pray there will be light. Where eveer there is injustice, may justice be in sight, where there is great oppression, may freedom soon be near. We pray for understanding and, too, the end of fear. Where is utter hopelessness, may hope be born anew. May we show more compassion as you would have us do, where there is strife and hatred, may there be peace and love. These prayers we humbly offer to you, Dear God above.

(Submitted by Alpha Clevenger)

Virginia Cornwell

Virginia Faye Cornwell, 69, of Brooksville, Ky., formerly of Menifee County, died Monday, Sept. 29, 2008, in U.K. Medical Center, in Lexington.

She was born April 9, 1939, in Menifee County, Kentucky, a daughter of the late Asa B. Lawson and Lourain Strong Lawson.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by 2 brothers and 7 sisters.

Survivors include three daughters, Debbie Tomilson, of Monroe, Ohio; Filecia Gossett and Vickie Riffe, both of South Carolina; three sons, Walter Riffe and Ronnie Riffe, both of South Carolina, and Clay Cornwell, of Middletown, Ohio; two sisters, Irene Simpson, of Jeffersonville, and Lillian Sharritts, of Middletown, Ohio; two brothers, Albert Lawson, of Marion, Indiana, and Don Lawson, of Denniston; and several grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Friday, October 3, at Menifee Home For Funerals, with Rev. Kenny Gross officiating. Burial followed in the Ross Cemetery, at Ezel, with Menifee Home For Funerals, of Frenchburg, in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were friends and relatives.

Memorial condolences may be sent to www.menifeehomeforfunerals.com

William "Billy" Black

William T. "Billy" Black, 81, of Nicholasville, Ky,, and a native of West Liberty, died Oct. 3, 2008, following a lengthy illness.

He was a son of the late Victor and Rose Litteral Black of West Liberty and prior to his retirement, he was a co-owner of American Engineering Co. He was a graduate of Morgan County High School, where he was an all-region basketball player, and he attended Kentucky Wesleyan College. He was a member of the Nicholasville United Methodist Church and was a Mason. He also was a veteran of the U.S. Army, having served in Japan.

He is survived by his wife, Helen Caudill Black of Nicholasville.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, Oct. 7, at the Nicholasville United Methodist Church. Entombment was in the Bluegrass Memorial Gardens under the direction of Betts & West Funeral Home.

Memorial donations are suggested to the Nicholasville United Methodist Church Building Fund or Hospice of the Bluegrass.

I just passed through Heaven's gates

By Carla L. Holbrook

Finally all the pains and sorrows are gone. That I've suffered for what felt like was so long.

And I just passed through Heaven's gates, just through Heaven's gates I see loved ones who are now angels, I see the beautiful tree of life, near the gleaming crystal river of life.

All of this after I passed through Heaven's gates.

Finally, acceptance and love is to be found in this realm. People who take you for who you are and not for something fake.

I just passed through Heaven's gates. Nobody hates, all is peace and love in Heaven.

Mortal, worldly words can not describe how beautiful this place really is.

For no eye has seen nor no ear has heard, all the sweet things that Heaven brings forth.

Some say it's always a spring day. Every day, in every way but I only go by what the Bible says.

It speaks of 12 foundations, robes of white, streets of gold, saints of old, walls of jasper. Even the Lord will wipe away all my tears. To where I can never cry again. For I'll have no reason to in this beautiful and peaceful place which is now my home.

All these wonderful things I know is upon me, and I just passed through Heaven's gates. I can't believe there's such a great change in me. I no longer feel weak but strong, no longer feeble just feeling so free.

Finally, the pain and sorrow is gone. My life in Heaven has just only begun.

(pd)

Your Social Security

Jacob and Emily Most Popular Baby Names

If you have children or know people who do, chances are you know a Jacob or an Emily. They have been the most popular baby names for a boy and a girl for years – Jacob for nine years and Emily for 10 years.

This year, Jacob and Emily continue to reign at the top of the lists. You can visit them in their online "crib" at www.socialsecurity.gov/babynames.

The Popular Baby Names website features the 10 most popular names for boys and girls in 2007. You can also see other lists of popular baby names. For example, you can search for the 1,000 most popular names of a decade, the five most popular names of the past century, or search for the most popular names in your stage. You can even get popular baby names for twins. Plug any name to see where it comes in on the list.

But Jacob and Emily do not just share their page with other baby names. There is a lot of information on the page that is of interest to babies and the parents who are for them. Find out about getting a Social Security number for your baby, and what parents should know about Social Security. Learn about benefits for children and grandchildren. Plan your family's financial future and find out about Social Security's future.

You can also link to information about having a healthy pregnancy, taking care of your newborn and childproofing your home. Need to read up on childhood immunizations, food stamps or other nutrition assistance programs for families with children? The links are there, along with information about toy hazard recalls, infant and children product recalls and a number of other resources.

When people think about Social Security, they often think of the retirement years. But Social Security is there throughout your life. Social Security's popular Baby Names page has a lot to offer.

Whether you have a grandchild on your knee or you are contemplating your first child, visit www.socialsecurity.gov/babynames today.

Corn Hole Tournament Winners

A large crowd torned out for the Blackwater Fire Department's annual pig roast fund raiser at Ezel on Saturday, Oct. 4. In addition to the good pork and fixins', 12 teams participated in a hotly-contested Corn Hole tournament. Jody Oldham is shown here presenting cash awards and trophies to, above top left, Phillip Harmon (l) and Bobby Harmon (r), first place winners; top right, Ricky Peyton (l) and Chris Peyton (r), second place, and bottom right, Darby Franklin (l) and Langley Franklion (r), third place.

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On Saturday, October 18th, there is no high school basketball or football game. There is no UK ballgame. There is only…..

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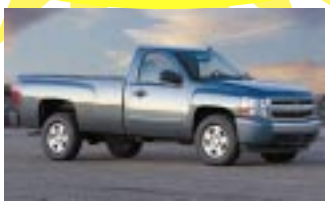
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NEWS OF RECORD

CIRCUIT COURT

New civil cases – Freddie Hylton et al vs. Chrysler, LLC, Sept. 30; Louis Riley Thompson II vs. Tiffany Renee Thompson, Sept. 30; Atlantic Credit & Finance Inc. vs. Mike Frisby, Sept. 2.

DISTRICT

Capital One Bank (USA) vs. Sandra Nipper, Sept. 29; Capital One Bank vs. Edward Benton, Sept. 30; Midland Funding vs. Marriette Rose, Oct. 1; Pinnacle Credit Services LLC vs. Kassandra M. Delong, Oct. 2; Capital One Bank (USA) vs. Steve Wright, Oct. 2.

ARRAIGNMENTS

Christopher Allen – license to be in possession – order entered.

Paul E. Au Jr. – failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security – pled guilty, $500; operating on suspended/revoked operators license – pled guilty, $100.

James D. Caldwell – driving a motor vehicle while license suspended for DUI (third offense) – pled guilty, $100; failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security – pled guilty, 30 days.

Ashley Cantrell – failure to produce insurance card, no/expired registration plates, no/expired Kentucky registration receipt – order entered.

Joyce Cole – alcohol intoxication in a public place – pled guilty, $25; permitting unlicensed operator to operate motor vehicle – pled guilty, $100.

Andrew D. Daugherty – speeding 13 mph over limit, failure to notify address change to department of transportation – order entered.

Andrea E. Gambino – one count – $10; one count – $500.

Joshua Hall – improper start from parked position, failure to wear seatbelts (two counts), license to be in possession – pre-trial conference Oct. 7.

Kevin Haney – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, $200, loss of license for 90 days.

Linda Haney – violation of kentucky EPO/DVO – pre-trial conference Oct. 7.

Perry Houston Henderson – speeding 10 mph over limit – failed to appear.

Gregory Holbrook – assault (fourth degree domestic violence; minor injury) – pre-trial conference Oct. 14.

James H. Howard – overweight on a highway, pt. 393, federal safety regulations, parts needed for safe operation – rescheduled Oct. 7.

Vickie Howard – burglary (third degree) – preliminary hearing Oct. 14.

Joe E. Keaton – failure to wear seatbelts, possession of open alcohol beverage container in a motor vehicle, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pre-trial conference Nov. 18.

James M. Keeton – no semi-trailer plate – order entered.

Terri J. Lindon - speeding 10 mph over limit – order entered.

Teretha M. Perry – theft by deception including cold check sunder $300 - pre-trial conference Oct. 14.

Zachary Prater – failure to wear seatbelts (two counts), no tail lamps – order entered.

Coretta A. Prater – operating on suspended/revoked operator's license – rescheduled Oct. 14.

Thomas Singleton - failrue of owner to maintain required insurance/security – rescheduled Oct. 28.

Chalmer Joe Wallace – disorderly conduct – pled guilty, 90 days.

Anthony Wheeler – no operator's license – failed to appear.

Terisa A. Williams – failure of owner to maintain reqired insurance/security – pled guilty, $500.

John R. Woodward II – terroristic threatening (third degree) – bench warrant issued.

Joshua T. Wright – speeding 22 mph over limit – pled guilty, $44; failure of owner to maintain required insurance/securiyt – pled guilty, $500.

Pre-trial conference – Jeremy Adkins – theft by deception including cold checks under $300 – jury trial Nov. 19.

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Michael S. Bailey – public intoxication of a controlled substance – bonded out.

Pre-trial conference – Teresa Caldwell – complicity to trafficking in a controlled substance (third degree, first offense; drug unspecified) – rescheduled Nov. 18.

Chris Davidson – criminal mischief (first degree) – preliminary hearing.

Christopher Davidson – violation of Kentucky EPO/DVO – pre-trial conference Oct. 7.

Pre-trial conference – James Ferguson – terroristic threatening (third degree) – rescheduled Oct. 14.

Daniel C. Halsey – flagrant nonsupport – preliminary hearing Nov. 18.

James Clayton Harper – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs – pled guilty, $200, loss of license for 90 days.

Larry C. Hollon – failure to comply with sex offender registration – preliminary hearing Oct. 14.

Debbie S. Ross – assault (fourth degree domestic violence; minor injury) – pre-trial conference Oct. 7.

John D. Westfall – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs (second offense) – pled guilty, $500, loss of license for 24 months.

Preliminary hearing – Nicole Whitaker – burglary (second degree) – matter bound over to grand jury.

Jeremy Adkins – criminal possession of a forged instrument (second degree) - preliminary hearing Oct. 7.

Misty B. Reynolds – speeding 5 mph over limit, no/expired registration plates, failure to maintain rquired insurance/securty, operating on suspended/revoked operator's license – rescheduled Oct. 28.

Pre-trial conference – Bretta Adams – alcohol intoxication in a public place – order entered.

Pre-trial conference – Elta Caskey – operating on suspended/revoked operator's license, fialure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, leaving scene of accident/failure to render aid or assistance – rescheduled Nov. 25.

Elta F. Caskey – burglary (second degree) – matter bound over to grand jury.

Preliminary hearing – Chasity Caudill – possession of a controlled substance (first degree, first offense; drug unspecified) – rescheduled Oct. 14.

Pre-trial conference – Chasity Caudill – theft by unlawful taking under $300 (shoplifting) – rescheduled Oct. 14.

Preliminary hearing – Todd J. Doss – promoting contraband (first degree) – pled guilty, 365 days.

Pre-trial conference – Lester S. Drake – speeding 10 mph over limit – pled guilty, referred to state traffic school.

Pre-trial conference – Michael Hunter – disorderly conduct (second degree) – jury trial Nov. 19.

Pre-trial conference – Taylor McKnight – assault (fourth degree; minor injury) – jury trial Dec. 10.

Pre-trial conference – Bennie Perkins – assault (fourth degree; minor injury) – rescheduled oct. 14.

Preliminary hearing – Gary C. Popp – promoting contraband (six counts; first degree), carrying a concealed deadly weapon (three counts), possession of a controlled substance (first offense), controlled substance prescription not in original container – matter bound over to grand jury.

Pre-trial conference – Robert J. Wireman – operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs (second offense), possession of open alcohol beverage container in a motor vehicle – change of plea Nov. 18.

Pre-trial conference – Tabitha Y. Wright – possession of a controlled substance (third degree, first offense; drug unspecified) – rescheduled Nov. 18.

Pre-trial conference – Tabitha Y. Wright – theft by unlawful taking – jury trial Nov. 19.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Delbert Pack and Ruth to Anthony Pack and Jessica, a parcel or tract of land north of Ky. Hwy. 705, containing 3 acres, $35,000.

James Wesley Bailey to Timothy D. Cantrell, land located on Oney Road, $65,000.

Valda S. Underwood to David Lynn Clevenger, located on the waters of Little Lick, a tributary of North Fork, love and affection.

Cobern and Pamela Wilson to Justin Wilson, land located on Hwy. 1002, $30,000.

Clarence C. Hunley, Bonnie Hunley and State of Kentucky Master Commissioner, to Buford Sherman and Geneva, land located on Ky. Hwy. 172 with physical address 7801 Hwy. 172, West Liberty, $18,100.

Patricia F. Parks to Katrinka Ross and Gerald Ratliff, land located in Hazel Green, $10,000; a 2nd tract of land lying and being in Hazel Green, $65,000.

Michael L. Newsom and Joetta to William Lyon and Cindy, land located on Rock House Creek, containing 40 acres, more or less, $150,000.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Randy Williams, Morgan County Court Clerk, has issued the following marriage licenses.

Brittany Danielle Russell, 22, of Morehead, daughter of Teresa Kay Blanton Russell and Danny Joe, to Randy Gene Williams, 27, of Morehead, son of Eileen Adkins Williams and Randall Dean Williams.

Tina Lee Warne, 32, of West Liberty, daughter of Helen Louise Wilson Warne and Robert Hilary Warne, to Larry Junior Ferguson, 32, of West Liberty, son of Della Jean Wagoner Ferguson and Larry Ferguson.

POEM

In the morning when the Lord calls me I want to be ready go to to live in that beautiful city up there that's white as snow, where the silver light is shining. it will never grow dim. You talk about a time in heaven when we leave this world of sin.

(Submitted by
Alpha Clevenger)

Deadline this weekend for Angel Food grocery orders

Angel Food is a non-profit, non-denominational food relief program for everyone. There are no qualifications to meet or long-term obligations. Orders are now being taken for the October menu. A blessing and a bargain, for $30 you will recieve the following:

- 1.5 lb. ribeye steaks (4x6 oz.)
- 4.5 lb. (avg.) split chicken breast family tray pack
- 26 oz. heat and serve meatloaf and brown gravy
- 1 lb. chicken breast fajita strips
- 1 lb. boneless center-cut pork chops (4x6 oz.)
- 1 lb. fully cooked meatballs
- 1 lb. all meat hot dogs
- 1 lb. frozen sliced carrots
- 1 lb. California blend vegetables
- 1 lb. pasta
- 28 oz. marinara sauce
- 48 oz. Hawaiian Punch
- 32 oz. Borden 2% reduced fat shelf stable milk (liquid)
- 12 ct. corn tortillas
- 1 dozen eggs
- 1 dessert item

Angel Food has a new Senior box. For $28, you will receive 10 perfectly seasoned, nutritionally balanced, fully cooked meals. Just heat and serve! This month's meals BBQ chicken, meatloaf with brown herb gravy, sweet 'n' sour chicken, meat patties with country style gravy, spaghetti with meat sauce, salisbury steak with brown mushroom gravy, Thyme baked chicken, creole baked white fish, chicken currey with vegetables and ground beef stroganoff. All meals include side items.

Special #1

Assorted Meat Grill Box, 7 lb. $21 – consists of 2 lb. top sirloin steaks (4x8 oz.), 2 lb. baby back ribs, 1.5 lb. hamburger patties (4x6 oz.) and 1.5 lb. mild pork chops (4x6 oz.).

Special #2

Meat and Chicken Combo Box, 4.5 lb., $21 – consists of 1.5 lb. ribeye steaks (2x12 oz.), 1.5 lb. New York strip steaks (2x12 oz.) and 1.5 lb. bacon-wrapped chicken filet (4x6 oz.).

Special #3

T-Bone Special, 3.75 lb., $21 – consists of 3.75 lb. T-bone steaks (5x12 oz.).

Special #4

Chicken Tender Box, 10 lb., $18 – Consists of 10 lb. breaded chicken tenders.

Special #5

Fresh Fruit and Veggie Box, $21 – consists of 1 head California iceberg lettuce (cello wrapped), 1 bunch California broccoli, 2 lb. Idaho/East Oregon yellow onions, 5 lb. new crop Yukon Gold potatoes, 3 lb. North Carolina new crop red apples, 2 lb. bag of California fancy lemons, 1 super sweet gold pineapple and 1 lb. bag of California peeled baby carrots.

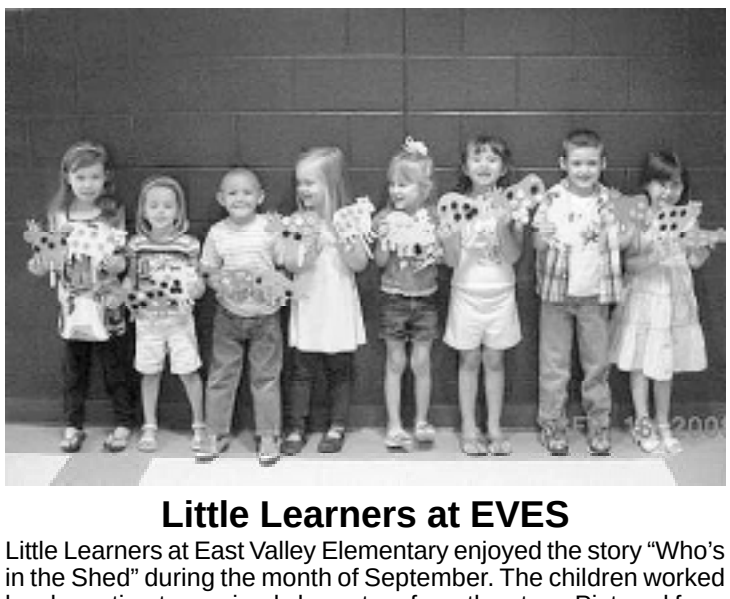
October orders are due Sunday, Oct. 12, and pickup day will be 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 25, at the church, and in Campton at the Wolfe County courthouse at 12 p.m. We accept cash, checks, money orders and EBT cards.

For more information about order/delivery times or getting an order form, please contact Sherry Keeton at 743-1563, Linda Adkins at 743-4057, Joyce Cantrell at 743-2706, Sue Ison at 743-1171 or the church at 743-4555.

In Wolfe County, you may contact Becky Long at 668-6690, or JoAnn Harris at 668-3515. You can also place your order at the courthouse in Campton. Delivery in Campton is 12 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 25, at the Wolfe County courthouse parking lot.

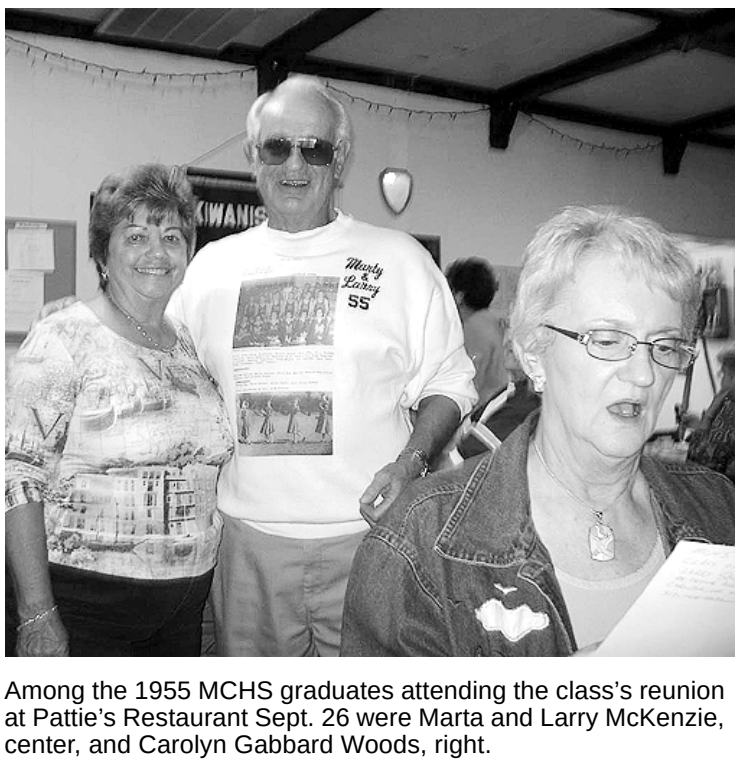
Prayer of an Unknown Confederate Soldier

I asked for strength that I might achieve;
I was made weak that I might learn humbly to obey.
I asked for health that I might do greater things;
I was given infirmity that I might do better things.
I asked for riches that I might be happy;
I was given poverty that I might be wise.
I asked for power that I might have the praise of men;
I was given weakness that I might feel the need of God.
I asked for all things that I might enjoy life;
I was given life that I might enjoy all things.
I got nothing that I asked for but everything that I had hoped for.
Almost despite myself my unspoken prayers were answered,
I am, among all men, most richly blessed.



Little Learners at EVES

Little Learners at East Valley Elementary enjoyed the story "Who's in the Shed" during the month of September. The children worked hard creating two animal characters from the story. Pictured from left with animal characters are Carlee O'Neal, Shelby Brown, Grant Keeton, Mallory Brashear, Jontae Hensley, Whitney Cantrell, Joseph Gilliam, and Mahala Martin. Each piece was a work of art. Song and dance is always a fun part of our session. We hope to see everyone back next month. If you have any questions about the Little Learners program, please contact us at 522-8157.



Among the 1955 MCHS graduates attending the class's reunion at Pattie's Restaurant Sept. 26 were Marta and Larry McKenzie, center, and Carolyn Gabbard Woods, right.

Class of 1955 gathers for reunion during Festival

On Friday, Sept. 26, 2008 during the Sorghum Festival, members of the MCHS Class of 1955 met at 2:00 p.m. at Pattie's Restaurant for lunch and to celebrate 53 years since graduation. There was a great turnout of classmates and everyone seemed to enjoy seeing each other again.

Shirley Lewis Heise presented each classmate with a CD of a song that she had written titled " Thank The Father." It is a beautiful song and a wonderful surprise gift.

The following were in attendance:

Betty Whitt Hill, Darryl Lewis Whitt, Carolyn Gabbard Woods, Karlene Ferguson Gibson, Clotine Ferguson Bailey, Hattie Lois Evans Benton, Richie Morris Stacy, Larry Dale Salyer, Joe Lykins, Owen Cox, Nancy Webb Haney Reynolds, Virginia Martin Hopkins, Gay Frederick Cottle, Bernice Litteral Allen, Alden and Naomi Whitt Collins, Ken and Shirley Lewis Heise, Ray and Evelyn Day Pennington, George and Gerry Arnett Montgomery, Deloris and Lee Wayne Williams, Margaret and Garrett Williams, Robyn and Jerry Franklin, Darlene and Walter Conn Henry, Pat and John Leach, Larry and Marta Potter McKenzie.

The following visitors also attended: Joy Ruth Pennington, Frances Davis Dehart, Paula Hamilton Hill, Lena Martin Conley, Julian Lewis, and a very special guest, Mrs. Opal Williams, Lee Wayne Williams' mother.

A special thank you to the Editor of the Licking Valley Courier, Earl Kinner, for keeping our announcement in for several weeks. Also thanks to Pattie's Restaurant for providing us with a meetig room and good food.

KSP conducting safety checkpoints in the Post 8 area

Capt. Dwayne Depp, commander of the Kentucky State Police at Morehead, recently announced that troopers of the Morehead post will be conducting safety checkpoints this month in addition to moving patrols throughout the post area for the remainder of the year.

This concentrated enforcement effort will utilize members of the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP) in addition to other troopers assigned to Post 8. Emphasis will focus on enforcing violations of the speeding, seatbelt, child restraint and impaired driving laws as well as other violations of the traffic laws of Kentucky.

The counties within the Post 8 area include Bath, Elliott, Fleming, Lewis, Mason, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Powell, Rowan and Wolfe.

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– Thomas Starr King
Clergyman

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At left, from left to right: Kim Barker, Morgan County Woman's Club President and KFWC Fun Activities Chairman; Mary Alice Oldfield, KFWC President Elect; Pam Pilgrim, KFWC 8th District Governor; Bridget Murphy, Morgan County Woman's Club Recording Secretary and KFWC Arts & Crafts Chairman. At right, from left to right: Mary Alice Oldfield, KFWC President Elect; Pam Pilgrim, KFWC 8th District Governor; McKenna Conley, MCHS Juniorette.

Woman's Club members attend 8th District workshop

Three members of the Morgan County Woman's Club and one Morgan County High School Juniorette attended the 8th District Fall Workshop in Ashland, Kentucky, on Saturday, October 4. Morgan County club woman Emily Elam and MCHS Juniorette Susan Hutchinson participated in the arts and crafts contest, resulting in a first place win in crochet for Emily and a second place win in crochet for Susan. Guest speaker State Representative Robin Webb spoke on Domestic Violence and 8th District Governor Pam Pilgrim gave participants Breast Cancer Awareness pins and "Vote in Honor or Memory of a Veteran" badges. Kim Barker, KFWC Fun Activities Chairman, gave ideas and suggestions on increasing fun in meetings and each club president presented a report on their club activities. Mary Alice Oldfield, KFWC President Elect, presented information on membership.

Blevins and Reed reunion held Oct. 5 at Grassy Creek

The annual Blevins and Reed reunion was held at the Gypsy Corral, at Grassy Creek, Ky., on Sunday, Oct. 5, 2008. The weather was absolutely wonderful and the long tables were filled with food fit for a king. As our family gathered in, the visiting started around 10 a.m. Corn Hole was enjoyed for a while before lunch.

Our family came from as far as Florida, South Carolina, and Ohio. Those in attendance were Mildred Halsey, Kevin and Cameron Halsey, of Cincinnati, Ohio, Rene and Danielle Adams, of Burlington, Ky., Deborah Halsey, of New Port Richey, Florida, Wendy Miller, of Beaufort, South Carolina, Patricia Hinton, of Maysville, Ky., Greg Hinton, Marty and Kathy Voiers, Caleb and Maggie Voiers, of Flemingsburg, Ky., Carolyn Woods, of Lexington, Ky., Todd and Elizabeth Cox and Kayla, of Mt. Sterling, Ky., Monica Brewer and Nathan Wagner, of Ft. Wright, Ky., Zach Blevins, of Frankfort, Ky., Jeff and Jennifer Brown, Sarah Elam, Susie Blevins, Mike and Paula Elam, Debi Brewer, Paul and Erma Stamper, of Grassy Creek, Bob and Christine Gevedon, of West Liberty, Amanda Jones, of Centerville, Mike and Sheila Stamper, of Hazel Green.

We were blessed with new faces this year and sincerely hope to continue to have each one back, and more new faces next year.

The day would not have been complete without the annual hay ride, thanks to Paul for the round trip tour of Grassy and Salem.

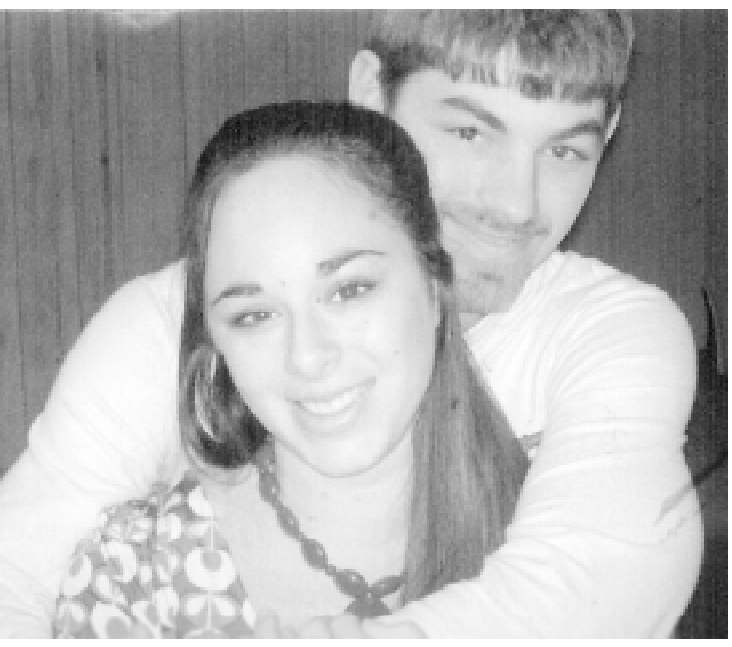
"PRETTY IN PINK TEA PARTY"

At Morgan County ARH Hospital

In honor of National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, Morgan County ARH Hospital is hosting a "Pretty in Pink Tea Party."

ARH would like to extend an invitation to all women in the community to come, listen and ask any questions they have about breast cancer. The party will be held between 2 - 3 p.m. on Tuesday, October 14, at the Morgan County ARH Hospital Cafeteria. Door prizes will be given.

April McClain, Community Representative for the American Cancer Society, will be speaking about the American Cancer Society and Relay for Life. Mrs. Missy Leuenberger, ARNP from the ARH Morgan County Clinic, will discuss the signs and symptoms of breast cancer.



DeAnna Jo Liston and Christopher Ray Gibbs

Miss Liston, Mr. Gibbs to wed Thursday, Oct. 30

Willis and Juanita Keeton, of West Liberty, are proud to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, DeAnna Jo Liston, to Christopher Ray Gibbs, son of Rick and Linda Ball, of West Liberty, Ky.

The bride elect is a 2008 graduate of Morgan County High School, and is currently in the nursing program at Rowan Tech.

The prospective groom is a 2005 graduate of Morgan County High School, and is currently employed at Twin Ridge Dev. and Coal Mining.

The wedding will take place on Thursday, Oct. 30, 2008 at 4:30 p.m., at Old Paint Church, in Crockett. Family and friends are invited.

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Four generations celebrate Grandparents Day at West Liberty Nursing & Rehab.

Families attended a Grandparents Day dinner Sunday, Sept. 7, at West Liberty Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. Grandparents Day began with Mariam McQuade, a housewife from Fayette County, West Virginia with the first official day in 1973. This day has a threefold purpose: to honor grandparents, to give grandparents an opportunity to show love for their children's children, and to help children become aware of the strength, information, and guidance older people have to offer. Rosie Ison, a resident of the facility, was joined by her daughter, Lorene Trimble, grandson, Robert, and his wife, Peggy Trimble, and great granddaughters, Sidney and Isabella.

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Porters to celebrate fiftieth wedding anniversary Oct. 11

Lewis and Darlene Porter, of Campton, will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary at 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 11, at the Middle School, in Campton. Family and friends are welcome. Come join us for this very special occasion. Your love is a treasured gift. We request no other.

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Morgan Co. schools homework hotline

Morgan County schools homework hotline numbers are as follows: Morgan County Middle School, 743-8118; East Valley Elementary School, 522-8185; Ezel Elementary School, 725-8208; Morgan Central Elementary School, 743-8433; and West Liberty Elementary School, 743-8427.

Gateway WIA program offering following services

Between the ages of 18-21? Ready to make a difference in your life? The Gateway WIA program is now offering the following services to residents of Morgan and Menifee Counties: Work Readiness Skills, Attending College for short term training, Life skills training, Obtaining work experience, Parenting skills, Financial planning. If interested call Karen at (606) 743-4141, ext. 101 today to see if you qualify.

Attention women ages 40-64

If you are a Kentucky resident, have no insurance, if you have never had a mammorgram or it has been two years or more since your last mammogram, you may qualify for a screening and will receive a $10 Wal Mart card to spend how you wish. Call Morgan County Health Department at 743-3744, and ask for an appointment today!! Funding provided by: Kentucky Cancer Progra, Susan G. Komen and Gateway District Health Department.

Farm equipment for rent to Morgan farm owners

Morgan County Conservation District has for rent an Aerator, two Renovators, an Ag Sprayer, and a fertilizer/lime spreader to farm owners in Morgan County. Please contact the conservation district at (606) 743-3194, if you have any questions about renting this equipment, or stop by the office at 955 Prestsonsburg Street, Suite #2, West Liberty, Ky. 41472.

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Morgan Christian Acad. needs old cell phones and ink cartridges

The Morgan County Christian Academy is collecting used, no longer needed, cell phones and used printer cartridges. The Academy is doing this as an effort to recycle. So please, if you have any used cell phones or ink cartridges, call the school at 743-1824 or drop them off at the school at Index.

C-8-23-tf

Service times at Seventh Day Adventist Church

The Seventh Day Adventist Church, 1266 E. Main Street, in Jackson, meets at 10 a.m. for Saturday worship, and at 6 p.m. for Tuesday Bible study. Everyone welcome.

C-1-8-tf

Henry Cemetery Notice

Donations are needed for the mowing and upkeep of the Henry Cemetery, located at Index. Please send to Dearl Dykes, Treasurer, 334 S. Howard Street, Sabina, Ohio 45169.

C-3-27-tf

Volunteers needed!

Volunteers are needed for the Morgan County History Museum. We need volunteers that can work a few hours a week at the museum. Days needed are Tuesday and Friday. We are open from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. Any help will be appreciated.

C-1-31-tf

Saturday night services at Zag Community Ch.

Church services are held on the first Saturday of each month at Zag Community Church, located one mile off Hwy. 519 on Hwy. 976. The pastor, Bro. Donald Cox, assistant pastor, Bro. J.R. Keeton, and congregation invite everyone to come out and join us. Services start at 7 p.m.

C-6-5-TF

Old Union Church in need of donations

The congregation of Old Union Enterprise Baptist Church, on Williams Creek, is planning to add restrooms to the church. Anyone willing to help with this project may send donations to Bro. Tivis Ison, Pastor, at H.C. 75 Box 1585, Isonville, Ky. 41149; or Bro. Jimmie R. Smith, Clerk, at 1544 Stingy Fork Road, West Liberty, Ky. 41472. For additional information phone (606) 522-4558.

C-9-11-tf

Sunday school class at Tom's Branch Church

Tom's Branch Community Church is proud to announce Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a.m., under the direction of Brother Ronnie Poe. We would like to invite everyone to come out and bring the children that they may learn about Jesus in a fun filled atmosphere.

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"Reduce Your Debt" financial classes slated

"Reduce Your Debt!" Dave Ramsey's course on how to achieve Financial Peace by saving money for purchases and emergencies, getting out of debt, planning for retirement and college and much more is being offered free through the Financial Partners Program at Gateway Community Action Agency. Classes as well as one on one financial counseling sessions are free and available to everyone. A new class will be starting in Morgan County on Tuesday, April 1, at the Morgan Central Elementary School at 5:30 p.m. If you would like to participate in the class or would like more information, please contact Wendy Crain-Lawson at (606) 783-0362 or by email at wendy.crain@gcscap.org. Literacy activities and supervision will be provided for children through the Reading First Grant. Snacks will be provided for children and participants by Morgan Central Elementary.

AA meetings slated for each Sunday evening

AA meetings are being held each Sunday at 8 p.m. in the conference room at the county government building. For more information or directions, call 606-743-1210.

West Liberty Nursing Ctr. hosting Coat Drive

West Liberty Nursing and Rehabilitation Center and Emily Nickell, this year's Morgan County Rogers Scholar, will be hosting a Coat Drive, starting September 15 through October 15, 2008. This will be West Liberty Nursing and Rehabilitation Center's first annual coat drive. Coats can be dropped off at the main side entrance of the nursing center or given to any staff member. Coats will be distributed to youth resource centers in Morgan County Schools after October 15. Adult items will be given to Christian Social Services.

C-9-18-4t

21st Century Drama Pgm. begins rehearsals at the Middle School

Morgan County Middle School's 21st Century Drama Program has begun meeting to begin its fall production of "The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe." The program targets all Morgan County students K-12. Rehearsals will be held every Monday and Tuesday from 3:15 to 5:15 p.m. The performance date will be December 4. For more information, contact Pam Rowland at 743-8102.

Creating Memories Workshop set Oct. 11

First Baptist Church, in West Liberty, will host Creating Memories Workshop on Saturday, Oct. 11, beginning at 12:30 p.m. Everyone who is interested in scrapbooking, framing and digital storybooks, bring at least 5 pictures and join in on the fun of an afternoon of creating memories. For additional information contact Amanda Adkins, 743-1270 (home), or 434-1453 (cell); or website: www.mycmsite.com/aadkins

C-9-25-3t

4-H after school craft workshop set Oct. 15

The Morgan County Extension Office will be hosting a 4-H craft workshop 4-5:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 15. We will be making a pumpkin wreath and spook necklaces. This craft workshop is open to anyone who is interested. If you need additional information, please feel free to contact Kim Cox at the Extension Office at 743-3292. C-9-25-3T

Flu vaccine available at local Health Department

Flu vaccine available at Morgan County Health Department beginning October 1. The cost per each vaccination is $20. Medicare, Medicaid, or Humana insurance is accepted by the health department. For appointment, phone 743-3744.

Frontier Housing to present Homebuyer Education Course

Frontier Housing will present their Homebuyer Education class in two parts on two evenings in October. The first part is Monday, Oct. 20, from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. and the second part is Monday, Oct. 27, from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Both classes are required for the certificate. The trainings will be at Frontier's Homeownership Center, which is located at 5445 Flemingsburg Rd., Morehead. This 8-hour educational workshop is designed for anyone considering purchasing a home and will assess participants' readiness to buy a home, assist them with money management and credit issues, give them options for financing a home, help them to select a home, and most importantly, provide them with the critical knowledge for maintaining their new home.

To register for the class, call Frontier at (606) 784-2131. For more information, visit our website at HYPERLINK "http://www.frontierhousing.org" www.frontierhousing.org

Walk To Remember Sunday, October 12 at Old Mill Park

Struggling with the loss of a child? Please join us in Morgan County's first ever Walk To Remember Sunday, Oct. 12, at 2 p.m., at Old Mill Park, West Liberty, Ky. A Day of Remembrance... A Day of Sharing... A Day of Hope. We dedicate this walk to the memory of a child.

Join us as we come together to support those in our community who face bearing the loss of a child. Let us recognize the much needed support for bereaved parents, family and friends who endure this pain. Let us reflect on the hopes and dreams for each child, and celebrate their memory. Let us hope that as each day passes, the pain will be somewhat more bearable.

If you would like more information or have questions, please contact: Tonya Nickles at 725-4446 or knickles@mrtc.com, or Marie Elam, (606) 666-5793 or meboyd@yahoo.com.

C-9-11-3t

GED testing slated Thursday, Oct. 9th

The next GED test will be given Thursday, Oct. 9, and Friday, Oct. 10, at the MSU at West Liberty Adult Education Center. Testing will begin at 8:30 a.m. In order to take the test, successful completion of the official practice test, proper registration, and a photo I.D. MUST be on file in the learing center. The test will also be given on Saturday, Oct 25, beginning at 8 a.m. The fee for the test is $40. GED classes will begin at East Valley Elementary Thursday, Sept. 18. Classes will be 9:00-1:00 the first and third Thursday of every month in the Family Resource Center. To register for the GED test or classes, please call the learning center at 743-1599.

C-9-25-2t

"Paint The Town Pink" during month of October

Gateway District Health Department is sponsoring on a campaign called "Paint the Town Pink" celebrating Breast Cancer Awareness Month. We are asking everyone to help us with this campaign by decorating their windows pink or with educational material on early detection and preventing. Individuals may want to decorate their homes or porches pink in celebration of the event. We also encourage you and your family, friends or anyone you know to get their screening for breast cancer. Each of our counties will be having a Women's Health Fair at the local health department. Gateway area is one of the highest in the state of Kentucky of deaths from invasive breast cancer.

C-10-2-4t

All day gospel singing set at Wms. Ck. Elkfork Ch.

The annual all day gospel singing at Williams Creek Elkfork Community Church will be Sunday, Oct. 12, beginning at 10 a.m. Featured singers will include Hopeful Harvestors, of Fairborn, Ohio; Two For One, of Jackson; The Shively Family, of Dayton, Ohio; Jimmy and Sharon Tharp, David Smith, Heavenly Bound Singers, Jenkins Family, Benny Wright and the Wayward Travelers, and the girls from the church, all of West Liberty. Everyone invited to attend by the pastor, Bro. Herbert Wright.

C-10-2-2t

Volunteers needed!

Volunteers are needed for the Morgan County History Museum. We need volunteers that can work a few hours a week at the museum. Days needed--Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. We are open from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. Any help will be appreciated.

C-8-16-tf

Kentucky Horse College dates are scheduled

The Kentucky Horse College will be conducted 7-9 p.m. Oct. 13 and 27, and Nov. 3 and 10, at the Bath County Extension Office.

Topics will include nutrition/feeds and feeding, reproduction, health and hoof care.

A registration fee of $20 is due Oct. 1. Contact the Morgan County Extension Office for more details at 743-3292 and to preregister. All participants will receive a Horse College cap.

This event is hosted by the Licking River area agricultural agents.

Revival at Williams Ck.-Elkfork Ch. begins Oct. 12

Revival at Williams Creek Elkfork Community Church beginning October 12, at 7 p.m. Rev. Bobby Jenkins and Rev. David Gibbs, of Fairborn, Ohio, will be preaching. Services held nightly. Special singing nightly. Everyone invited to come join us for a week of preaching and singing.

Bro. Herbert Wright,
Pastor

C-10-2-2t

Cane weave footstool class slated October 28

A cane weave footstool class will be taught on Tuesday, Oct. 28, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., at Morgan County Extension Office. Learn how to do a simple weave, with instructions to make a pattern in your next woven footstool. Class is limited to 12 people, and cost will be $25. Preregistration is required by Oct. 23. To register for this class call Morgan County Extension Office, (606) 743-3292.

C-9-25-3t

Blenko Glass tour set Thursday, October 9

Tour Blenko Glass, in Milton, West Virginia on Thursday, Oct. 9. Call Morgan County Extension Office, 743-3292, by October 3 to reserve your seat on the van for this tour. The time of departure will be announced upon registration.

Care of family photos workshop set Oct. 22

Family Photos: Presentation, Care and Display is another work shop offered on October 22, beginning at 1:30 p.m., in the Morgan County Extension Office Conference Room. Join this session to be better informated on maintaining and sharing these treasured photos.

Anti-drug groups monthly meetings

Local anti-drug groups meet the first Wednesday of every month in the county government building's fiscal court room at the following times: ASAP, 12 p.m.; UNITE, 1 p.m.; and Champions, 2 p.m. The public is invited to attend these meetings and participate in group activities.

C-5-15-TF

Stinson reunion set Saturday, October 11

The Stinson reunion will be held Saturday, Oct. 11, at Isonville Elementary School. Dinner will be served around 1 p.m. Please bring a dish of food and soft drinks. Close friends and neighbors are welcome. Come spend an enjoyable day. Hope to see you there.

C-9-25-3t

Thanksgiving dinner and singing at Wells Chapel

The First Church of God, at Wells Chapel, will be having a Thanksgiving dinner and gospel singing on Saturday, Nov. 22, at 2 p.m. Jubilee Road will be the featured singing group. The congregation invites everyone to come and enjoy fellowship in the spirit of God.

C-10-2-7t

Christmas dinner planned at Wells Chapel Dec. 20

The First Church of God, at Wells Chapel, will be having a Christmas dinner and gospel singing Saturday, Dec. 20, at 2 p.m. New Mountain Harmony will be featured. Come out and enjoy prayer, testimony, singing and worship with us.

C-10-2-8t

Gospel sing, fish fry at Wells Chapel Ch. of God

The First Church of God, at Wells Chapel, will be hosting a gospel singing and a fish and chicken fry on Saturday, Oct. 11, at 2 p.m. The congregation invites everyone. Bring a friend and enjoy the good fellowship and spirit of the Lord.

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Union meeting at Lacy Ck. Baptist Ch. Oct. 10, 11, 12

The Union meeting at Lacy Creek Baptist Church will be Friday, Oct. 10, and Saturday, Oct. 11, at 6:30 p.m. each evening, and at 11 a.m. Sunday, Oct. 12. Several different preachers have been called. The pastor, Bro. Tim Jenkins, and congregation invite everyone to attend.

Revival at Salem Church begins Monday, Oct. 13

Bro. Jessie Rogers will be in revival at Salem Church beginning Monday, Oct. 13, through Friday, Oct. 17. Pastor Danny Collins and congregation invite everyone to come and join them for worship, fellowship, and special singing. Services each evening at 7 p.m.

Picnic For The Pups 2008 slated Saturday, Oct. 25

Helping Hands For Animals invites you to Picnic For The Pups 2008 Saturday, Oct. 25, at 4 p.m., at the RECC Fairgrounds, at Malone, for dinner, music and art. Tickets may be purchased in advance by calling (606) 743-7261 or (606) 743-1240. Cost is $10 per person. All proceeds will go to Helping Hands For Animals, a non-profit 501C3 organization.

C-10-9-2t

Two For One to sing at Salem Church Oct. 11

Two For One will be singing at Salem Church Saturday, Oct. 11, during the fish fry. Activities will begin at 4 p.m. Pastor Danny Collins invites everyone to attend.

Opening art reception for Elsa Salyers Oct. 17

You are invited to the opening art reception for Mrs. Elsa Salyers on Friday, Oct. 17, from 5 to 8 p.m., at Komax Business Systems, The Cabell Gateway Building, 3135 16th Street Road, Suite 14, Huntington, West Virginia. She will have 20 pieces on exhibit through December. Also, Mrs. Salyers has been asked to do a 32-piece exhibit of paintings for a major Lexington Bank for exhibit during the 2010 Equestrian Games.

C-10-9-2t

Lighthouse Baptist Ch. Homecoming, Pig Roast

Lighthouse Baptist Church, located at 35 Liberty Road across from former Go Go Drive Thru, will have their annual Homecoming and Pig Roast on Sunday, Oct. 12, following the 11 a.m. worship service. Al Johnson will be preaching. Special singing by Echos of Hope. Please come and bring a covered dish of vegetables and dessrts. We will be having an auction of old fashion home canned foods. Please come prepared to bid! There will also be a corn hole tournament. Everyone welcome. Please come and join the fellowship. Pastor Joe Smith and assistant pastor, Eugene Smith, invite everyone to attend.

Zag Com.Church hosting Missionary Prayer Band

The Zag Community Church is scheduled to host the Morgan County Missionary Prayer Band on the third Sunday. The meeting will be at normal meeting time of 5:30, on October 19th. There will be a short video of the American Indian Field Ministries of WGM. Call to Prayer subscriptions and Prayer Band information will be available.

C-10-9-2t

Homecoming service at Ezel First Ch. of God

There will be homecoming services at Ezel First Church of God on Sunday, Oct. 12, beginning at 10:30 a.m. The True Gospel Echoes will be singing. Lunch will be served afterward. Pastor Jessie Dennis and congregation invite everyone to attend.

Sammy Adkins to be at Cannonsburg Oct. 11

Sammy Adkins and the Sandy Hook Mountain Boys will be at Blue Ribbon Fox Hunters Lodge, at Cannonsburg, on Saturday, Oct. 11. The Glen Ritchie Band will also be performing. Music will begin at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited to come out and enjoy an evening of old time mountain and bluegrass music.

Rotary Club to host Punkin' Runkin' 5K Run/Walk Oct. 25

West Liberty Rotary Club would like to invite people of all ages for a 5K (3.1 mile) run/walk.

The race begins and ends at beautiful Old Mill Park, in West Liberty, and will begin at 9 a.m., with registration starting at 8 a.m. Awards will be given after the race for 10 different age divisions, oldest and youngest participants, and for best costumes. Each entrant will receive a t-shirt! Preregistration is $15. Race-day registration is $20. Pre-registration ends October 17.

Come dressed in a costume! There will be first, second, and third place prizes for costumes.

For additional information, or to obtain a registration form, contact Lisa Fannin, (606) 743-3121; Jennifer Adkins, (606) 743-3606; Darren Gillespie, (606) 743-3195, or any Rotary Club member.

C-10-9-2t

Benefit soup bean dinner Oct. 18 at Index Church

There will be a benefit soup bean dinner Saturday, Oct. 18, at Index Community Church. Proceeds from this dinner will be used to pour a footer for a 20x20 house in Mexico on Morgan County's first home based mission field, Grace to The World Missions. Menu will consist of soup beans, potatoes, sauerkraut, corn bread, and a drink, all for $6. Will begin serving at 11 a.m. Anyone wishing to make a donation may contact J.C. Stacy, Security Board Member, 611 Spaws Creek Road, West Liberty, Ky. 41472.

C-10-9-2t

Redeemed Church services announced

There will be worship services at Redeemed Church beginning Wednesday, Oct. 15, through Saturday, Oct. 18, nightly at 6:30, and Sunday, Oct. 19, at 10 a.m. Different preachers will be preaching each evening. The pastor, Bro. Roy Collett, and congregation invite everyone to attend.

Singing at Blaze Com. Church Sat., Oct. 11

There will be a singing at Blaze Community Church on Saturday, Oct 11, beginning at 7 p.m. Featured singers will be Bro. William West, his wife, Laura, and friends, from Ashland. The pastor, Bro. Vernon Lewis and congregation invite everyone.

W.L. Baptist Church anniversary Oct. 19

West Liberty First Baptist Church will have its 95th anniversary celebration on Sunday, Oct. 19. Sunday school will begin at 9:45 a.m. The worship and celebration service will be at 11 a.m. Lunch will be served following the service. Everyone is invited to attend.

C-10-9-2T

Board of Elections to meet Tues., Oct. 14

The Morgan County Board of Elections will meet Tuesday, Oct. 14, at 9 a.m. at the County Office Building to inspect the voting machines for the Nov. 4 general election.

Saddle up!

Ride the new trail at Murder Branch along with the Morgan County Saddle Club 10 a.m. prompt Saturday, Oct. 11. There will be a meal at 4 p.m. (adults, $10; children under 12, $5). No alcohol please. For more information, call 606-725-4692.

Homecoming weekend at Hope Enterprise Baptist

Homecoming weekend worship services at Hope Enterprise Baptist Church are as follows: Friday, Oct. 10, 7 p.m., Bro. Rick Pelfrey preaching, with special singing; Saturday, Oct. 11, 7 p.m., Bro. Ronnie Spriggs, preaching and singing; Sunday, Oct. 12, 11 a.m., Bro. Andrew Parsons preaching, singing by Michael Dickerson, followed by dinner after service. Everyone welcome.

Benefit set for the Austin Coffee family

There will be a benefit for the family of Austin Coffee on Saturday, Oct. 18, at Community Center gym, beginning at 2 p.m. with an auction beginning at 5 p.m. There will be music by Friends for Jesus, Kids of the Lord, Faithful Servants, Wells Union Singers, Norman Wright, Larry Adams Band. Food will also be sold. All donations will be greatly appreciated. For additional information call Mary Tharp, 522-3418, or Candice Prater at 743-1905.

C-10-9-2t

MCHS Site Base meet. changed to Oct. 15th

Morgan Co. High School's regular monthly Site Base meeting will be moved to October 15 at 5 p.m., in the school library.

LEGALS

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

To all interested citizens of West Liberty, Kentucky:

The Governor's Office for Local Development is accepting application material under the 2008 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program. The City of West Liberty intends to apply for assistance for the West Liberty Fire Department Building project. The public hearing will be held on Friday, October 24, 2008 at 9:00 in the West Liberty City Hall Meeting Room located at 565 Main Street, West Liberty, KY 41472. The main purpose of this hearing is to obtain views on housing and community development needs, review proposed activities, and solicit public comments. Technical assistance is available to help groups representing low and moderate income persons in developing proposals.

The following information concerning the CDBG program is available for public inspection at the West Liberty City Hall during regular business hours.

1. Amount of funds available and range of activities that may be undertaken.

2. Estimated amounts of funds proposed to be used for activities benefiting persons of low and moderate income.

3. Plans for minimizing displacement of persons as a result of activities associated with CDBG funds and plans for providing assistance to those persons to be actually displaced as a result of CDBG-funded activities.

4. Records regarding the past use of CDBG funds.

5. A summary of other important program requirements.

Comments on Application

A copy of the CDBG pre-submission form will be on file at the West Liberty City Hall and the Gateway Area Development District Office for citizens' review and comment during regular business hours from Friday, October 1. Comments on the proposed application may be submitted to the attention of Mayor Robert Nickell until the close of business on Friday, October 24.

The City of West Liberty does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, religion or disability and provides, upon request, reasonable accommodation, auxiliary aids and services, to afford an individual with a disability an equal opportunity to participate in all services, programs and activities. Any persons requiring special needs assistance should contact Mayor Robert Nickell at (606) 743-3330 at least five days prior to the meeting. The TDD number for the hearing inpaired is 1-800-247-2510.

NOTE: ADA Contacts: Department for the Blind, 1-877-KYBLIND, www.blindky.gov

American Printing House, 1-800-223-1839, www.aph.org

Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing for Interpreter Directory, 1-800-372-2907, www.kedhh.org

State Relay TDD Number, 1-800-648-6057.

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(Published Oct. 16, 23)

PUBLIC NOTICE
2008 Proposed Tax Rate
Public Hearing

The Morgan County Ambulance District will hold a public hearing on October 13, 2008, at 5:00 p.m. local time, at the Morgan County Ambulance District headquarters for the purpose of obtaining comments from the public regarding the proposed tax rate.

The tax rate levied last year was .064 and produced revenues in the amount of $162,911. This year's compensating rate is .066 and will produce revenues in the amount of $168,002. The Morgan County Ambulance District proposes a tax rate of .066 which will produce a total of $168,002 in revenues.

Revenue expected from new properly is $1,651; revenue expected from personal property is $24,059; revenue expected from motor vehicles is $68,012; and revenue expected from watercraft is $1,598.

Revenue received in excess of last year's revenue will be used for the operation of the Morgan County Emergency Ambulance Service.

Mike Elliott,
Director
C-10-2-2t
(Pub. Oct. 2, 9)

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that Sharon Sargent Matthews, of the Estate of Carsia Olen Sargent, has filed a Final Settlement with the Morgan County District Court. Anyone wishing to make any exceptions to this Final Settlement must do so on or before 10:00 a.m. November 18, 2008, the date of the hearing.

Donna L. Pelfrey
Clerk, Morgan Circuit Court
Box 85
West Liberty, Ky. 41472
C-10-9-1t

NOT RESPONSIBLE NOTICE

I will no longer be responsible for any debts other than my own.

Ernest Vest
P.O. Box 203
West Liberty, Ky. 41472
C-10-9-3t pd.
(Pub. Oct. 9, 16, 23)

SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

Monday, Oct. 13--Hamburger on bun, vegetable plate, baked beans, wheat bun, banana, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 14--Turkey tetrazzini, tossed salad, wheat roll, baked apples, milk.

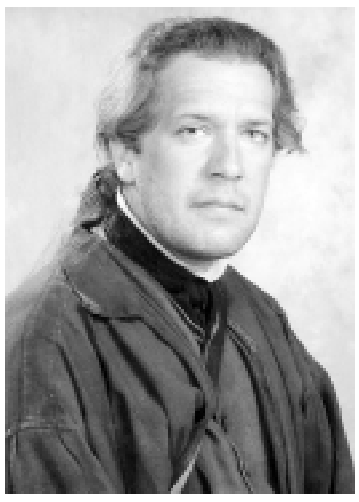
Wednesday, Oct. 15--Oven fried chicken, buttered carrots, green peas, wheat roll, tropical fruit, milk.

Thursday, Oct. 16--Roast beef and gravy, mashed potatoes, lima beans, wheat roll, pineapple chunks, milk.

Friday, Oct. 17--chicken salad, three bean salad, tomato slices, wheat bread, mandarin oranges, milk.

COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD

Ky. Chautauqua presents Daniel Boone: Pathfinder



Scott New as Daniel Boone: Pathfinder

Kentucky Chautauqua presents Scott New as Daniel Boone: Pathfinder. This presentation will take place at Morgan County Public Library on Thursday, Oct. 16, at 7 p.m. (Room 201-Library). Refreshments served from 6 to 7 p.m.

Daniel Boone was born in 1734 in Berks County, pennsylvania, a son of Quaker immigrants Squire and Sarah Boone. As a young boy he was more interested in exploring the woods instead of helping his father in the fields growing crops. At age 12 or 13, young Daniel got his first gun. He used it to provide game for the family table.

The Boone family moved to Yadkin Valley, in North Carolina, in the early 1750s. In 1756 Daniel was united in marriage to Rebecca Bryan. Daniel spent most of his time farming, hunting, and raising their nine children.

His first venture into Kentucky came in 1767, though he didn't know he was there. In 1769, he crossed Cumberland Gap on a two-year hunting expedition during which he explored Kentucky all the way to the Ohio River. He eventually led six families, including his own, to settle in Kentucky.

Mark your calendars and come, learn more about the adventures of American's best-known frontiersman.

C-10-9-2t

Sandfield Com. Church Oct. 18

There will be a singing at Sandfield Community Church on Saturday, Oct. 18, beginning at 7 p.m. Debbie Hunt will be the featured singer. The pastor, Bro. Mike Brooks, and congregation invite everyone to attend.

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Soup bean dinner at Newcombe Valley Ch.

Newcombe Valley Enterprise Baptist Church, located on Route 706, will be having a soup bean dinner on Sunday, October 12, after church service. Sunday school starts at 10 a.m. and church at 11 a.m. Everyone is welcome. October 18, starting at 4 p.m., we will be having our annual Fall Festival. We will have a hayride, games, crafts, and food. Come join the fun for all ages.

Notice of Approval of the CSBG Plan

Gateway Community Action's Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Program's annual Plan and Budget for the 2008-2009 fiscal year has been approved. CSBG is a statewide initiative sponsored by Community Action Kentucky in partnership with the Cabinet for Health and Family Services. The CSBG Plan and Budget is available for public inspection at your local outreach office: Bath County (606) 674-2502, Menifee County (606) 768-2369, Montgomery County (859) 498-5345, Morgan County (606) 743-3133, or Rowan County (606) 784-7735.

4-H After School Craft slated October 15th

Come join us for 4-H After School Craft on Wednesday, Oct. 15, from 4 to 5:30 p.m., at the Morgan County Extension Office, located across the street from the Health Department. Crafts are free and open to everyone and may be entered in the 2009 Morgan County Fair. We will be making spook necklaces and pumpkin wreaths. Come on our and join us for an evening of FREE fun and crafts! For youth of any age that want to participate! If you need more information please contact the Morgan County Extension Office, 743-3292.

Hometown Holidays Beauty Pageant Nov. 29

The Hometown Holidays Beauty Pageant will be held at 1 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 29, at the Carl D. Perkins Center, in Morehead. Applications may be picked up at Lenvil's Beauty Shop or Touch Of Class Beauty Shop, in West Liberty. For additional information call Shelly Lytle, 780-1082, or Amber Smith, 780-8828.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Sept. 23, 2008

To The Courier,

I would like to renew my subscription for my hometown paper for 1 year. I enjoy getting it every week. We missed being at the Wells reunion this year.

Thanks,
Janice Click
2533 Kildare Ave.
Dayton, Ohio 45414

THINK ON THESE THINGS

If you ever are plagued with doubt and question whether God's about, try thinking on some simple things. You'd be surprised the peace it brings. A sleeping child, a summer's day, a puppy awkward in it's play. The clean washed air that follows rain. A diamond-frosted window pane, an apple tree all pink and white. The stillness of a star lit night, a fire crackling on the hearth. The smell of freshly spaded earth. A trail you knew once long ago. A picket fence high-capped with snow, a song your mother used to sing--and why you can pick most anything and you will find your answer there. It's still God's world. He's everywhere.

(Submitted by Alpha Clevenger)

JACK FROST

Jack frost came a sneekin;
oone chilly,autumn night.
Woludn't you know?
He touched everyting in sight!

Oh.he paints a pretty picture.
as we see by the rising sun.
The beauty of his work shows,
But not the change he has done

The weeds and the flowers,
the tomatoes and the corn,
All were banging their heads,
By the middle of the morn.

So once again ol'Jack,
Puts an end to the growin'
He came and went quickly,
Without his face showen'!

By, Joan Kyar-Frayholtz.
Fairfax, Minnesota

Top reading students honored

Darren Sparkman, principal of Morgan County Middle School, presented sixth graders Tiffany L. Adkins and Zack Gullett with t-shirts for being the top two readers in the Middle School's Accelerated Reader program. The two were recognized recently at a school-wide assembly. Tiffany has 265 book points and Zack has 171 points. Congratulations to Tiffany and Zack. Keep up the good work.

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HEAD START TEACHER POSITION AVAILABLE!

Gateway Community Action is seeking a Head Start teacher in Menifee County. The teacher is responsible for providing a safe environment that includes planning and implementation of the approved curriculum and oversight and management of daily activities of three and four year old children, classroom assistants, and volunteers. Minimum requirements are a high school diploma or GED and a Child Development Associate (CDA). An Associate or Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education or related field is strongly preferred. Experience working in a preschool classroom is highly desirable. A condition of employment includes a satisfactory criminal background check, pre-employment drug testing, driver registry check, child abuse and neglect check, and a satisfactory TB Skin test/assessment. Upon hire, the successful candidate must be willing to obtain a Commercial Drivers License and participate in random drug testing.

Gateway offers entry-level teachers competitive wages and an excellent benefit package that includes paid health insurance, leave, and retirement. Anyone interested in joining our team may obtain an application and view the complete job description at HYPERLINK "http://www.gcscap.org" www.gcscap.org. Applications and/or resumes must be submitted by 4:30 p.m., October 10, 2008, and mailed to: Gateway Head Start Program, PO Box 367, West Liberty, KY 41472.

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OPENING FOR HEAD START TEACHER ASSISTANT

Gateway Community Action is seeking a Head Start teacher assistant in Menifee County. Minimum requirements for the position are a high school diploma or General Education Degree (GED). Prior experience working with preschool children is highly desirable. A condition of employment includes a satisfactory criminal background check, pre-employment drug testing, driver registry check, child abuse and neglect check, and a satisfactory TB Skin test/assessment. Upon hire, the successful candidate must be willing to obtain a Commercial Drivers License, participate in random drug testing, and be willing to participate in classes to obtain a Child Development Associate (CDA).

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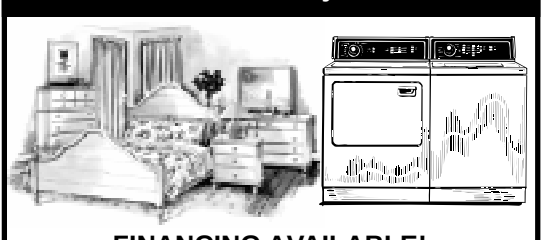

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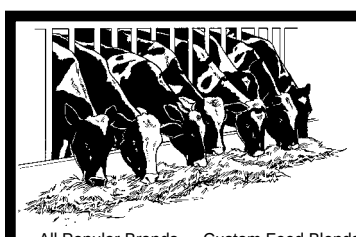

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FRIDAY EVENING — October 10

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Toughest Jobs		Deal or No Deal		Life		News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	Ghost Whisperer		The Ex List		Big Blue Madness			
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Jim	Wife Swap		Supernanny		20/20		News	Night-
PBS 7	Math	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Com-	Group	Wash	NOW	Bill Moyers		BBC	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Toughest Jobs		Deal or No Deal		Life		News	Tonight
WGN 9	7th Heaven		7th Heaven		★★★ Open Water (2003)				WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	MLB Baseball		Two	Two	You Smarter?		Don't Forget		News		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Legends	King	Ghost Whisperer		The Ex List		Big Blue Madness			
TBS 13	Ray-	Friends	Seinfeld	Pre-	MLB Baseball: ALCS Game 1 -- Teams TBA							MLB
ENC 14	Crim-	I'm Gonna Git You Sucka			O Brother, Where Art Thou?				Shanghai Noon			Porky's
FAM 15	My Wife	My Wife	70s	70s	70s	70s	70s	70s	Home Videos		The 700 Club	
LIFE 16	Reba	Reba	Still	Still	Reba	Reba	Making Mr. Right (2008)				Will	Will
A&E 17	Cold Case Files		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		Criminal Minds	
SHOW 19	Inside the NFL		Beyond		★★ Chapter 27 (2007)		Weeds	Californ	Dexter		ShoXC: Elite	
DISN 20	Mon-	Mon-	Suite	Mon-	Suite	Phineas	★★★ Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone (2001)					
MAX 21	★★ The Wedding Planner (2001)				★★½ The Net (1995)				The Bourne Ultimatum			
HBO 22	Big Momma's		Blindsided		★★½ Bee Movie (2007)				Entour-	Entour-	Real Time	
AMC 24	★★ Christine (1983) Cont'd				★★★ The Princess Bride (1987)				History of the World: Part I			
USA 25	House		House		House		The Starter Wife				House	
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Made	Made	Survivorman		Survivorman		Survivorman		Made	Made
ESPN 27	SportsCenter		Baseball	Football	College Football: Louisville at Memphis						SportsCenter	
TNT 32	Law & Order		Law & Order		★★½ Final Destination (2000)				★★½ Underworld (2003)			
SCI 33	Stargate SG-1		Star Trek Gen.		Stargate Atlantis		Stargate Atlantis		Sanctuary		Stargate Atlantis	

SATURDAY EVENING — October 11

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Cash	Celeb. Catwalk		Knight Rider		Law & Order: SVU		News	SNL
CBS 4	College Football		Fortune	Jeo-	College Football: LSU at Florida						News	
ABC 6	College Football		Countdn	NASCAR Racing: Sprint Cup -- Bank of America 500								News
PBS 7	Lawrence Welk		Louis-	Red	Ky Life	Ken-	Father's Little Dividend			Car-	Austin City Limits	
NBC 8	News	NBC	Storms	Paid	Celeb. Catwalk		Knight Rider		Law & Order: SVU		News	SNL
WGN 9	Becker	Becker	Boston Legal		★★½ Phoenix (1998)				WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Two	Two	Cops	Cops	Most Wanted		News		MADtv	
CBS 12	College Football		News	King	College Football: LSU at Florida						WYMT	Sports
TBS 13	Ray-	King	King	Pre-	MLB Baseball: ALCS Game 2 -- Teams TBA							MLB
ENC 14	★★½ Batman Forever (1995)				★½ Billy Madison (1995)		★★ Fire Down Below (1997)					U-571
FAM 15	★★ Raise Your Voice (2004)					★★½ The Princess Diaries (2001)					Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr
LIFE 16	Framed-Murder		Murder in the Hamptons				Murder on Her Mind (2008)				Army Wives	
A&E 17	Any Given Sun.		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		The Sopranos		The Sopranos	
SHOW 19	Rising Son: Skateboarder				Dexter		Boxing: Chad Dawson vs. Antonio Tarver					Dexter
DISN 20	Suite	Suite	Suite	Mon-	Mostly Ghostly (2008)			Wizards	Wizards	Suite	Suite	Mon-
MAX 21	★★★ Transformers (2007) Cont'd				★½ Norbit (2007)				★★ Hitman (2007)			Sex
HBO 22	★★ August Rush (2007)				★★★½ Atonement (2007)				★★★ Recount (2008)			
AMC 24	★★½ Broken Trail (2006) Cont'd				★★½ The Alamo (2004)						Silverado	
USA 25	Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU	
DSC 26	Survivorman		Survivorman		Man vs. Wild		Man vs. Wild		Man vs. Wild		Man vs. Wild	
ESPN 27	Football	Score	Scoreboard		College Football: Teams to Be Announced						SportsCenter	
TNT 32	★★ Blade: Trinity (2004) Cont'd				★★½ Final Destination 2 (2003)				NBA Preseason Basketball			
SCI 33	Ginger Snaps		Lake Dead (2007)				Crazy Eights (2006)				Unrest (2006)	

SUNDAY EVENING — October 12

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Football Night		NFL Football: New England Patriots at San Diego Chargers							News
CBS 4	News	Maga-	60 Minutes		Amaz. Race 13		Cold Case		The Unit		News	Dan
ABC 6	ABC	News	Home Videos		Extreme-Home		Housewives		Brothers & Sisters		News	Coache-
PBS 7	Work-	Garden	Keep	Summer	Time-	May	Contemporary		Crossroads		America	Book-
NBC 8	News	NBC	Football Night		NFL Football: New England Patriots at San Diego Chargers							News
WGN 9	ALF	ALF	WKRP	WKRP	Newhart	Newhart	Honey-	Honey-	News	Replay	Bewitch	Bewitch
FOX 11	NFL Football			The OT	MLB Baseball: NLCS Game 3 -- Teams TBA						News	
CBS 12	WYMT	CBS	60 Minutes		Amaz. Race 13		Cold Case		The Unit		WYMT	Brooks
TBS 13	★ Joe Dirt (2001)				★★ Head of State (2003)			★★ Head of State (2003)				Deuce
ENC 14	Star-	Are We Done Yet?			★★ Little Man (2006)			★★★★ Platoon (1986)				Aliens
FAM 15	Au Pair II		★★½ Nanny McPhee (2005)				★★½ Nanny McPhee (2005)				Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr
LIFE 16	True Confess		Confessions of a Go-Go Girl				Army Wives		Army Wives		Grey's Anatomy	
A&E 17	CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		The Cleaner	
SHOW 19	Premonition		★★★ Freedom Writers (2007)				Dexter		Californ	Californ	Dexter	
DISN 20	Wizards	Wizards	Suite	Mon-	Mon-	Wizards	Casper Meets Wendy			Phineas	Suite	Mon-
MAX 21	★★½ Romeo Must Die (2000)				★★ Hitman (2007)				★★★½ Speed (1994)			
HBO 22	Evan	★★★½ Atonement (2007)					True Blood		Entour-	Little	Life	Blood
AMC 24	The Alamo		★★ Pearl Harbor (2001)						Mad Men		Mad Men	
USA 25	Red Dragon		House		House		House		House		The Starter Wife	
DSC 26	Planet Earth		Planet Earth		Planet Earth		Planet Earth		Planet Earth		Planet Earth	
ESPN 27	Strong-	Baseball	SportsCenter				College Football Live				SportsCenter	
TNT 32	★★½ Final Destination 2 (2003)				Final Destination 3			★★ Final Destination 3 (2006)				Scream
SCI 33	Needful Things		Mulberry Street (2006)				Swamp Devil (2008)				Man-Thing	

MONDAY EVENING — October 13

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Gubernatorial		Chuck		Heroes		Worst Enemy		News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	Big	Mother	Two	Worst	CSI: Miami		News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Jim	Dancing With the Stars			Saman-	Boston Legal		News	Night-
PBS 7	GED	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Election 2008		American Experience: Nixon					
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Chuck		Heroes		Worst Enemy		News	Tonight
WGN 9	7th Heaven		7th Heaven		Home Videos		ALF	ALF	WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	MLB Baseball: NLCS Game 4 -- Teams TBA						News	
CBS 12	News	CBS	Issues	King	Big	Mother	Two	Worst	CSI: Miami		News	Late
TBS 13	Baseball	MLB	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Fam	Fam	Fam	Fam	Office	Office	Name	Name
ENC 14	Bul-	★★ Mannequin (1987)			★★ Sister Act (1992)			Rambo: First Blood Part II				Roun-
FAM 15	My Wife	My Wife	70s	★★½ You've Got Mail (1998)					Home Videos		The 700 Club	
LIFE 16	Reba	Reba	Still	Still	Army Wives		Dark Beauty (2007)				Will	Will
A&E 17	The Cleaner		The Cleaner		The Cleaner		The Cleaner		The Cleaner		The Cleaner	
SHOW 19	Daddy's Little		★★ I Witness (2003)				Dexter		Californ	Californ	Dexter	
DISN 20	Suite	Suite	Suite	Mon-	Monsters, Inc.			Wizards	Wizards	Life	Suite	Mon-
MAX 21	★★★ Bad Boys (1995)				★★ Trading Places (1983)				★★ Hitman (2007)			Sex
HBO 22	Bernard and Doris (2008)				Real Time		Arlington Nat.		Chris Rock: Kill			Count
AMC 24	★★½ Midway (1976) Cont'd				★★★★ The Sting (1973)					★★★★ The Sting (1973)		
USA 25	NCIS		Law Order: CI		House		WWE Monday Night Raw				The Starter Wife	
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Made	Made	Des-	Des-	Investigates		Last Lynching		Made	Made
ESPN 27	SportsCenter		Monday Night Countdown		NFL Football: New York Giants at Cleveland Browns							Sports-
TNT 32	Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		The Closer		Raising the Bar		Bones	
SCI 33	Stargate SG-1		Lost		Lost		Lost		Lost		Gurren	Gurren

TUESDAY EVENING — October 14

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	The Biggest Loser: Families				Law & Order: SVU		News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	NCIS		The Mentalist		Without a Trace		News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Jim	Opportunity		Dancing-Stars		Eli Stone		News	Night-
PBS 7	GED	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Nova		Frontline				BBC	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	The Biggest Loser: Families				Law & Order: SVU		News	Tonight
WGN 9	7th Heaven		7th Heaven		Nash Bridges		Nash Bridges		WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	House		Fringe		News		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Paid	King	NCIS		The Mentalist		Without a Trace		News	Late
TBS 13	Ray-	Friends	Seinfeld	Pre-	MLB Baseball: ALCS Game 4 -- Teams TBA							MLB
ENC 14	Robin	★½ Zoom (2006)			★½ The Invisible (2007)			★ Coyote Ugly (2000)				O
FAM 15	My Wife	My Wife	70s	70s	Lincoln Heights		Greek		Home Videos		The 700 Club	
LIFE 16	Reba	Reba	Still	Still	Reba	Reba	Wife Swap		Good Naked		Will	Will
A&E 17	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The First 48		The Cleaner		The Cleaner	
SHOW 19	Mr	Rising Son: Skateboarder			The Abandoned (2006)				Dexter		Californ	Californ
DISN 20	Phineas	Phineas	Suite	Mon-	Mom's Got a Date-Vampire			Wizards	Wizards	Life	Suite	Mon-
MAX 21	Perfct	License to Wed			★★½ Demolition Man (1993)				★½ Rush Hour 3 (2007)			Zane
HBO 22	★★½ Night at the Museum (2006)				Count	★★★½ Atonement (2007)				Bees	Entour-	Blood
AMC 24	★★★★ The Sting (1973) Cont'd				★★★½ Dirty Harry (1971)				★★½ Magnum Force (1973)			
USA 25	NCIS		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		House		House		Law & Order: SVU	
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Made	Made	Dirty Jobs		Dirty Jobs		Race: Iditarod		Race: Iditarod	
ESPN 27	SportsCenter		E:60		Madden	Madden	Series of Poker		Series of Poker		SportsCenter	
TNT 32	Golf		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Raising the Bar	
SCI 33	Scare	Scare	Scare	Scare	Scare	Scare	ECW		Scare	Scare	BloodMonkey	

THURSDAY EVENING — October 16

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
NBC 3	News	NBC	Fortune	Jeo-	Name	Kath	Office	SNL	ER		News	Tonight
CBS 4	News	CBS	Fortune	Jeo-	Survivor: Gabon		CSI: Crime Scn		Eleventh Hour		News	Late
ABC 6	News	ABC	Enter-	Jim	Ugly Betty		Grey's Anatomy		Life on Mars		News	Night-
PBS 7	GED	Busi-	News-Lehrer		Antiques Rdsho		KET 40	Speaks	Spain-On Road		BBC	Ky Life
NBC 8	News	NBC	Inside	Holly-	Name	Kath	Office	SNL	ER		News	Tonight
WGN 9	7th Heaven		7th Heaven		★★ The Fourth Angel (2001)				WGN News		Scrubs	Scrubs
FOX 11	Deal No	Deal No	Two	Two	Hole in the Wall		Nightmares		News		Simp-	Fam
CBS 12	News	CBS	Auto	King	Survivor: Gabon		CSI: Crime Scn		Eleventh Hour		News	Late
TBS 13	Ray-	Friends	Seinfeld	Pre-	MLB Baseball: ALCS Game 5 -- Teams TBA							MLB
ENC 14	Ram-	★★ Major Payne (1995)			★★ Next Friday (2000)			★★★ Shanghai Noon (2000)				Deep
FAM 15	My Wife	My Wife	70s	70s	★★½ The Notebook (2004)						The 700 Club	
LIFE 16	Reba	Reba	Still	Still	Reba	Reba	Under the Tuscan Sun				Will	Will
A&E 17	Cold Case Files		CSI: Miami		The First 48		The First 48		Jacked	Jacked	Crime 360	
SHOW 19	Grooms	★★ Premonition (2007)				Zombie Honeymoon			Comics	Comics	Californ	Louis
DISN 20	Wizards	Wizards	Suite	Mon-	Mostly Ghostly (2008)			Wizards	Wizards	Life	Suite	Mon-
MAX 21	Lady	Office Space			★★★ I Am Legend (2007)				★★★ Talk to Me (2007)			
HBO 22	★★½ We Are Marshall (2006)				True Blood		True Blood		True Blood		Hookers-Johns	
AMC 24	★★½ The Enforcer (1976)				★★★ Clear and Present Danger (1994)						Hunt-Red-Oct.	
USA 25	NCIS		Law & Order: SVU		House		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU	
DSC 26	Cash	Cash	Made	Made	Engineering Thrills		Des-	Des-	Tornado Rampage		Made	Made
ESPN 27	SportsCenter		Baseball	College Football: Florida State at North Carolina State						SportsCenter		
TNT 32	Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order		Law & Order	
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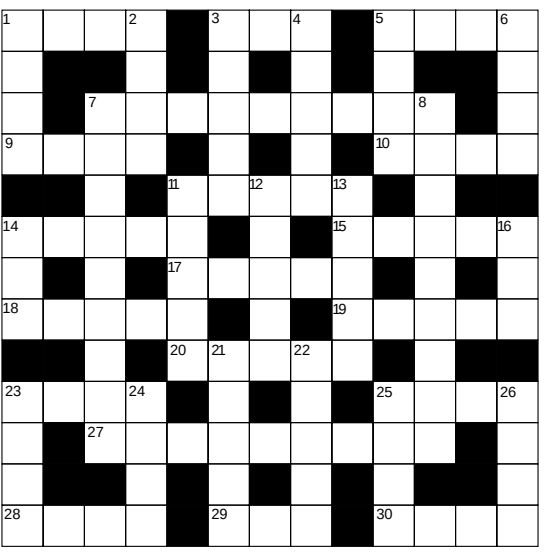

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I'll own you completely; your soul will be mine.
The nightmare I'll give you when you're lying in bed
And the voices you'll hear from inside your head.
The sweats, the shakes and the visions you'll see.
I want you to know these things are gifts from me.
By then, it's too late, and you'll know it in your heart
That you are now mine and we shall not part.
You'll regret that you tried me (they always do).
But you come to me, not I to you.
You knew this would happen, many times you were told.
But you challenged my power, you chose to be bold.
You could have said no, then walked away.
If you could live that day now, what would you say?
I'll be your master and you my slave.
I'll even go with you when you go to your grave.
Now that you have met me, what will you do?
Will you try me or not? It's up to you.
I can show you more than words can tell.
Come take my hand, let me lead you to HELL.

This poem was downloaded from the Internet and submitted to us by Pete Frye. We are told that a 17-year-old girl from Johnson County wrote the poem and it was read at the funeral of a friend who had died of a drug overdose (Crystal Meth).
—Editor

Inspiration Corner

By Louise Winchip

In Memory of Louise Lee Winchip
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Preserve me, O God, for in Thee do I put my trust. David was saying, protect me Lord, care for me as you would a helpless child. I am needy and helpless, but Lord, I belong to you, I am your child.

Today with sadness, sorrow, unemployment, sickness abounding everywhere, we need the Lord's protection. Some folks face trials that are beyond their human endurance. Broken homes bring heartache to many, especially children. In view of these difficulties, there is help. The Lord is ready to meet any and all who call upon Him, believing He will respond.

The Sixteenth Psalm offers encouragement and assurance. David was running at the time he wrote this Psalm. He was running from his son. Such sorrow and humiliation he experienced. But the importance of this Psalm is to show that even in the midst of deep despair, David sought the Lord. Would the Lord fail him? Read on. "The Lord is the portion of my inheritance and of my cup: Thou maintainest my lot. I have a goodly heritage, writes David.

Somehow in the midst of his problems, David looked up and knew what the Lord was doing for him and Who God was. The Lord is never found by looking down for Him. One may be down in the depths of a situation, but once that one looks up and acknowledges the Lord, He is there. His promises are to whosoever will

The closing verse of this Psalm is one to carry with us all day. Earthly jobs fade, plans fall apart, money and positions are lost... but God remains faithful. You may have read a poster that states, when all else fails read the instructions. That may be good advice to follow. Read the Word and the Lord's instructions. David wrote. Thou wilt show me the path of life; in Thy presence is fullness of joy; at Thy right hand there are pleasures for evermore.

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Wells Chapel Church Of God, Stacy Fork, KY. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 6:00 pm. Rev. Ivan Hinton, pastor. Everyone welcome.

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Mize Community Church, 1 mile west of Mize, KY. John Oldfield Jr., pastor, 1176 Hwy. 946, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 606-725-5622. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Old Time Religion Church, 1957 Flat-Mary Rd., Campton, KY 41301. Douglas Dunn, pastor, phone 668-9168.

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Stark United Methodist Church, Sunday morning 9:30 am. Sunday School 10:30 am. Friday youth group 7:00 pm. Friday adult Bible study 7:00 pm. Warren Vanover, pastor.

Ezel United Presbyterian Church, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 725-4215. Sunday morning 10:00 am. All ages welcome.

Cannel City First Church Of God, Cannel City, KY, phone 743-7395. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

Zag Community Church, located 1 mile off KY-519 on KY- 976. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Rev. Donald Cox, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Index Community Church, Rt. 1 Box 210, West Liberty, KY 41472 (intersection KY-191 & US-460), phone 743-4733. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday youth hour 6:30 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Rev. Mike Frisby, pastor. Eddy Dennison, assistant pastor.

Sandy Hook United Methodist Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 7:00 pm. Rev. Warren Vanover, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Red River Community Church, Hazel Green, KY 41332, phone 662-6947. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday prayer service 7:00 pm. Rev. Charles Glover, pastor.

Prince Of Peace Catholic Church, 163 Pine Acres Drive just off Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty. Sunday Mass 9:00 am. Father Frank Brawner pastor. Phone 743-3266 office; 743-4817 rectory.

Wells Union Baptist Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Tuesday Bible study 6:00 pm. Jimmy Tharp, pastor.

Ophir Enterprise Baptist Church, approximately 10 miles up KY-1260 off KY-172. Services first Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every third Sunday 11:00 am. Bro. Bobby Fultz, pastor. Bro. Ronnie Wright, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Pleasant Run House Of Prayer, Yocum, KY. Sunday School 10:30 am. Sunday morning 1:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Raymond Barker, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Helechawa Community Church, located on KY-191. Thursday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome to come and worship the Lord.

Sulphur Springs Church, Crockett, KY, KY-172. Third weekend of each month and all odd weekends. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. Chris Baldwin, pastor. Bro. Bob Williams, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Pekin Pentecostal Church, Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 10:00 am, morning worship 11:00 am. Pastor Sammy Vancleave, 743-7255 Everyone invited.

West Liberty Christian Church, 304 Prestonsburg St. (corner of Prestonsburg and Court Street), phone (606) 743-4356, parsonage (606) 743-4355. Paul Casteel, minister. Matthew Riley, youth minister. Junior church and wee church 11:00 am. High school and middle school youth group Wednesday evening and Sunday evening 7:00 pm.

Ezel First Church Of God, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Youth group Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Youth church service third Sunday each month 7:00 pm.

Stillwater Holiness Church, 3-1/2 miles north of Campton on KY-191. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Patricia Crider, pastor.

Bear Pen Worship Center, Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday School 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday youth meeting 6:30 pm. David Spencer, pastor. Phone 668-3351.

Blaze Community Church, Services Wednesday evening 7:00 pm; Sunday School 5:00 pm; Sunday evening worship 6:00 pm; pastor Vernon Dale Lewis and congregation invite everyone.

Calvary Baptist Church, KY-191, Cannel City, KY. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 5:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Harry B. Helton, pastor.

Campton Baptist Church, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Pastor Gary Conner. Parsonage phone: 668-3499

Hazel Green Church Of God, KY-1010 East. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning and children's church 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Charlie Brewer, pastor, wife Wavelene Brewer.

Concord Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-32 eight miles west of Sandy Hook. Every fourth Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Ricky Lewis, pastor.

West Liberty Church Of Christ, Sunday Bible study 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study for all ages 7:00 pm. Paul Balch, minister. Phone 743-2132.

Campton First Church Of God, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm.

Laurel Gorge Enterprise Baptist Church, Youth services Friday 7:00 pm. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Rev. Bill Rice, pastor. Virgil F. Gillum, assistant pastor.

Full Gospel Tabernacle, Top of Slade Hill where Jesus is Alpha and Omega. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Rev. Ralph Banks, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Grassy Lick Baptist Church, Grassy Creek, KY 41352. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening Bible study 7:00 pm. Kenneth Gevedon, pastor. Vernon Stacy, assistant pastor. James Tyra, assistant pastor.

Quillens Church Of God, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Lester Spencer, pastor. Phone 668-6435.

Abundant Life Full Gospel Church, 849 Broadway St., West Liberty, KY. Phone 743-1549. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Bro. Donnie Wheeler, pastor.

Murphy Fork Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday worship 11:00 am. Sunday night 6:00 pm. Thursday night 7:00 pm.

Haven Of Hope, 364 Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty, KY 41472. Sunday School, 10:00 am. Sunday worship, 6:00 pm.

New Beginnings Church of God, off Hwy 519, Blevins Rd. Phone 606-743-1224. Sunday School 10:00 am, morning worship 11:00 am, Sunday evening 7:00 pm, Thursday 7:00 pm. Pastor Ruford Abner

Callaboose Community Church, Off KY-746 near Campton. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Bro. Burt Combs, pastor.

West Liberty Mennonite Church, located off Circle Dr, Wells Hill. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Direl Fyffe, pastor emeritis. Elder James Fyffe, 743-1567. Elder Steve Stoltzfus, 743-4195.

Faith Hills Mennonite Church, KY-172, Crockett, KY 41413. Sunday morning 9:30 am. Sunday evening second and fourth Sunday each month 7:00 pm, the fourth Sunday being song service. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome.

West Liberty United Methodist Church, corner of Main and Prestonsburg St. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening Bible study 7:00 pm. Sunday night choir practice, 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. UMW first Tuesday each month. Rev. Ken Jett, pastor, phone 743-3519.

Trent First Church Of God, Rt. 1, Campton, KY 41301. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. David Stamper, pastor.

Christian Faith Church Of Freedom, Murphy Fork. Every Saturday evening 6:00 pm. Todd Kidd, pastor.

Woodsbend Community Church, KY-705 North. Phone (606) 743-3580. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Children's church 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening family night ministries 7:00 pm.

Assembly Of Faith Church, seven miles north of West Liberty on KY-519. Sunday morning Bible classes, 10:00 am. Sunday morning worship, 11:00 am. Power House kids church, 11:00 am. Sunday evening worship service, 6:00 pm. Ladies meeting, first Monday each month, 7:00 pm. Wednesday worship choir practice, 6:30 pm. Thursday worship service, 7:00 pm. Young adult service, 20, 30, 40 year olds, last Friday each month, 7:00 pm. Harold Davis, pastor. Phone 743-4555.

Campton United Methodist Church, phone 668-3229. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:55 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm choir 7:45 pm. Rev. James Doughton, pastor.

Isonville Primitive Baptist Church, Isonville, KY. Phone 738-5816. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Christopher K. Harper, pastor. Everyone welcome.

West Liberty First Baptist Church, Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Children's church 11:00 am nursery provided. Sunday evening youth group 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. David Cook, pastor. Phone 743-3722.

Bigwoods Community Church, HC 75, Wellington, KY. 40387. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible hour 7:00 pm. Phone 768-3456. Rev. Jess Brewer, pastor.

New Salem Church, Moon, KY. 1/4 mile off KY-172 on KY-1715. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Bro. James Wallin, pastor. Bro. Kevin Williams, assistant pastor. Everyone welcome.

Lick Branch Enterprise Baptist Church, two miles off US-460 up Old KY-172. Every fourth weekend of each month. Saturday night business 6:30 pm. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Every Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Bro. Joe O. Jenkins, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Neal Howards Creek Community Church, Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every third Thursday ladies and men's meeting 7:00 pm. Dean Lewis, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Newcombe Valley First Enterprise Baptist Church, Isonville, KY. First Saturday each month 7:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:45 am. Ladies Bible study/prayer group Wednesday 1:00 pm. Mike Adkins, pastor. Darrell O'Hare, assistant pastor.

Tar Ridge Church Of God, Wolfe County. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:45 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday prayer service 7:00 pm. Bro. Adam Hays, pastor.

New Hope Baptist Church, Gordon Ford. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Bro. George Oney, pastor.

Church Of Free Worship, Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday School 11:00 am. Sunday morning 12:00 noon. Stanley Rigsby, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Old 519 Full Gospel Church, Saturday evening 6:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Tom's Branch Community Church, KY-772, West Liberty, KY. Sunday morning 11:00 am; Sunday evening Bible Study 7:00 pm; Thursday evening service 7:00 pm; every third Saturday evening fellowship dinner 5:00 pm and church service at 7:00 pm. Everyone welcome. Pastor Jeff Montgomery, Assistant Pastor Woody Bowman.

White Oak Christian Church Disciples Of Christ, White Oak, KY 41474, phone 743-4127. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am.

Ezel Church Of God, Ezel, KY 41425, phone 725-5721.

Lee City First Church Of God, Lee City, KY, phone 662-6221. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Rev. Stanley Burnett, pastor. Everyone welcome.

Centerville Community Church, Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Harry Flannery, pastor.

Vortex Pentecostal Church, Thursday evening 7:00 pm. Rev. Leonard Cole, pastor.

Grace Baptist Church, Malone, KY. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday discipleship training 5:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study 6:00 pm. Bro. Mike Lindon, pastor.

Redbush Enterprise Baptist Church, Redbush, KY. Second Saturday evening each month 6:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm every third Sunday. Bro. Gerald Fyffe, pastor.

Hope Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-650, Doctor's Branch, Sandy Hook, KY. Every second Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Weekly Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Wednesday Bible Study prayer meeting 7:00 pm. Ronnie Mayse, pastor. Everyone welcome!

Hilltop Apostolic Church, KY-7 past Bruin. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Darrell Gallihue, pastor.

Victory Christian Center, Elliott County on Blaine's Trace Road off KY-486. Sunday School 9:45 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. David Webb, pastor.

Sandfield Community Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. Mike Brooks, pastor. Harold Stamper, assistant pastor.

Bethany Community Church, Bethany, KY. Sunday School 9:30 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Daniel Wendell, pastor. Phone 668-3703.

Broadway First Church Of God, West Liberty, KY 41472, phone 743-3759. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday prayer meeting 6:30 pm. Bro. Jessie Rogers, pastor.

Lacy Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Lacy Creek, KY. Second weekend each month. Saturday evening 6:30 pm. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Every Sunday evening 6:30 pm. Bro. Tim Jenkins, pastor.

Apostolic Church Of Jesus Christ, Lytten, KY. Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday morning 10:30 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Denzil B. Fannin, pastor. Phone 738-6384.

Grassy Creek Pentecostal Church, Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Johnnie Davis, pastor.

Vision Baptist Church, Rogers, KY, KY-2818, KY-715. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Wednesday evening 6:00 pm. Scott Rogers, interim pastor.

Lacy Creek Church Of Christ, 2-1/2 miles off US-460 on KY-364, Cottle, KY. Phone 743-2380. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening youth service 6:00 pm. Thursday Bible study 7:00 pm. Jimmy Adkins, pastor, 743-3801. Elder lawrence Kersey, 743-3291. Elder Dan Hittepole, 743-3430. Elder Dr. James Frederick.

Words Of Encouragement Trinity Full Gospel Mission, Trace Branch, US-460, Magoffin County. Friday evening 7:30 pm. Sunday evening 6:00 pm.

Pine Grove Community Church, Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 7:00 pm. Wednesday evening 7:00 pm. Aaron Brooks, pastor.

Straight Creek Enterprise Baptist Church, Big Mandy Road off KY-650. Every third Saturday evening 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning 11:00 am. Cortis Ison, pastor.

Countryside Community Church, KY-134, Johnson Fork. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Tuesday evening 7:00 pm. David Hinton, pastor.

Kernie Freewill Baptist Church, KY-134, Johnson Fork. Sunday School 10:00 am. Sunday morning 11:00 am. Butch Whitaker, pastor. Steve Arnett, assistant pastor.

Wallowhole Independent Baptist Church, Second Saturday evening each month 7:00 pm. Second Sunday morning each month 10:30 am. Every Sunday evening 6:00 pm. Thursday prayer meeting 7:00 pm.

Spring Branch Baptist Church, 100 Spring Branch Rd., Campton, KY 41301. Pastor Ron Lucas, 606-668-9229. Sunday School, 10:00 am, Sunday morning worship, 11:00 am, Sunday night service, 6:00 pm, Wednesday night Bible Study, 7:00 pm.

Horton Flats Community Baptist Church, 1.6 miles off KY-7 on KY-3353, Horton Flats Road. Sunday School 9:30 am. Sunday morning 10:30 am.

Wrigley Baptist Mission, KY-7, Wrigley, KY. Sunday morning fellowship 9:45 am. Sunday School 10:00 am (classes for every age plus deaf class). Sunday morning 11:00 am. Wednesday Bible study 6:30 pm. Everyone welcome.

Fannin Enterprise Baptist Church, KY-557 (Ruin Road), Sandy Hook, KY. First Saturday evening each month at 7:00 pm. Every Sunday morning at 10:30 am. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:00 pm. George Stafford pastor and Jason Ison assistant pastor.

Crockett Primitive Baptist Church, KY-706. Pastor Hershell Wright and Charlue T. Wright invite everyone to attend. Sunday School at 10:00 am. Sunday worship service at 11:00 am. Wednesday night fellowship at 7:00 pm.

Campton Christian Church, 312 Main St., Campton, KY 41301, phone 606-362-9277. Sunday morning 11:00 am; Tuesday Bible study, 6:30 pm. Minister: Will Cooper. Website: www.camptonchristianchurch.org

Hazel Green Baptist Mission, Hazel Green Academy Campus. Sundays at 5:00 pm. Pastor, Lewis Faulkenberry, 606-662-6907 *Showing God's Love by Loving God's People.*

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Cooking With Care

• Stay in the kitchen when you are frying, grilling, or broiling food. If you leave the kitchen for even a short period of time, turn off the stove.

• Keep anything that can catch fire--potholders, oven mitts, wooden utensils, paper or plastic bags--away from your stovetop.

• Wear short, close fitting or tightly rolled sleeves when cooking. Loose clothing can dangle onto stove burners and catch fire.

• Always keep an oven mitt and lid handy. If a small fire starts in a pan on the stove, put on the over mitt and smother the flames by carefully sliding the lid over the pan. Turn off the burner. Don't remove the lid until it is completely cool.

Everyday Electrical Safety

• Keep lamps, light fixtures, and light bulbs away from anything that can burn, such as lamp shades, bedding, curtains, and clothing.

• Replace cracked and damaged electrical cords.

• Use extension cords for temporary wiring only. Consider having additional circuits or receptacles added by a qualified electrician.

• Homes with young children should have tamper-resistant electrical receptacles.

• Call a qualified electrician or landlord if you have recurring problems with blowing fuses or tripping circuit breakers, discolored or warm wall outlets, flickering lights or a burning or rubbery smell coming from an appliance.

Healthy Heating

• Install and maintain carbon monoxide alarms to avoid risk of carbon monoxide poisoning.

• Maintain heating equipment and chimneys by having them cleaned and inspected every year by a qualified professional.

• Keep all things that can burn, such as paper, bedding or furniture, at least 3 feet away from heating equipment.

• Turn portable space heaters off when you go to bed or leave the room.

• An oven should not be used to heat a home.

Strike Out Smoking-materials Fires

• If you smoke, choose fire-safe cigarettes if they are available in your area.

• If you smoke, smoke outside.

• Wherever you smoke, use deep, sturdy ashtrays.

• Never smoke in a home where oxygen is used.

• Keep matches and lighters up high in a locked cabinet, out of the reach of children.

Candle With Caution

• Keep candles at least 12 inches from anything that can burn.

• Use sturdy, safe candleholders.

• Never leave a burning candle unattended. Blow out candles when you leave a room.

• Avoid using candles in bedrooms and sleeping areas.

• Use flashlights for emergency lighting.

Safety 101

• Install smoke alarms in every bedroom, outside each sleeping area and on every level of the home. For the best protection, interconnect all smoke alarms throughout the home. When one sounds, they all sound.

• Test smoke alarms at least once a month using the test button.

• Replace smoke alarms every 10 years.

• Make sure everyone can hear the sound of the smoke alarms.

• Have a home fire escape plan. Know at least two ways out of every room. If possible, and a meeting place outside. Practice your escape plan twice a year.

• When the smoke alarm sounds, get out and stay out.

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By Estelle Caskey

Oct. 5 – Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the family of Hershel Gayle Ellis, of Owensboro, Ky., the nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kersey and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Keeton. Lawrence Kersey and granddaughter, Patsy, attended his funeral in Owensboro last Thursday.

Louise and I were happy to see and visit with Mr. and Mrs. Larry McKenzie, o f Florida, at the Sorghum Festival. They are in West Liberty visiting with friends and relatives.

Shane Patrick and Lanny Williams visited last Monday evening with Estelle and Louise Caskey.

Ms. Patty Hilterbrand visited last Tuesday with Estelle and Louise Caskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Banks and Joyce Ferguson visited last Tuesday with Mrs. Ruby Caskey at West Liberty Nursing Home and Rehabilitation Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kersey and Estelle and Louise Caskey visited with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Keeton on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joey Bates and Jessie had business in Morehead last Sunday.

Household Hints

• If you drop an egg on the kitchen floor and make a mess, sprinkle table salt over it and wipe up with a paper towel.

• To keep iron skillets from rusting, rub over the inside and outside with a piece of wax paper.

• Feed a paper towel through an electric can opener to clean residue from the blade.

• The copper bottoms of cooking utensils can be cleaned and shined by spraying the bottoms with a solution of three tablespoons of table salt mix with four cups of vinegar; let them sit for five minutes and then wipe clean.

• To remove yellow age spots from stored linens, rub over the spots with a lemon dipped in salt.

• To remove stains from shirt collars, rub over them with table salt prior to washing.

2008 MSU Nursing grads excel on natl. RN examinations

MOREHEAD, Ky.—Morehead State University's May 2008 graduates of the Baccalaureate Nursing Program have achieved a 96 percent pass rate on the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses.

Entry into the practice of nursing in the United States is regulated by the licensing authorities within each jurisdiction of the national council. The Kentucky Board of Nursing (KBN) is the licensing authority for this state.

To ensure public protection, the KBN requires a candidate for licensure to pass an examination that measures the competencies needed to perform safely and effectively as a newly-licensed, entry-level registered nurse.

The Kentucky Board of Nursing monitors the performance of each program of nursing to review the performance compared with the outcome achievement measure of an 85 percent pass rate.

MSU's May graduates achieved above the outcome measure for Kentucky and have exhibited superior accomplishments. "Achievement of successful learning outcomes is a positive reflection of the teaching-learning partnership that exists between faculty, staff and students," said Dr. Erla Mowbray, chair of MSU's Department of Nursing.

Several nursing programs, which combine general education with professional nursing theory and clinical education, are available at MSU. Each program has a selective admission procedure and enrollment is limited.

More information on the nursing programs at MSU is available by calling the Department of Nursing at (606) 783-2296 or by visiting www.moreheadstate.edu/nursing.

Botanists report that the trees need the winds of March to flex their branches and trunks. The sap is drawn up because of the bluster of the wind, and the budding leaves are nourished.

You and I are like the trees. We need the storms to strengthen us.

A blustery period in our lives is often a prelude to a spring of fruit bearing and fortune.

Think of Joseph. Had he not been a prisoner, he wouldn't have had become a prime minister.

Going through a storm? Trust God. He'll enable you to turn your trials into triumphs, your setbacks into successes, and the bluster into blessings.

Memory Hill & Roundabout

By Hazel B. Craft

Oct. 6--Sorry I didn't get news in the paper last week--so many happenings I didn't feel up to par.

Everything is about as usual at Memory Hill. Several visitors during the past three weeks. At the present time Don and Lois Phillips, of Middletown, Ohio, are spending some time at Memory Hill. They plan to visit several of their friends in this section. My, my, my what great visitors they are! Since I haven't been myself, Lois takes over. She does the cooking, organization of their room, and the rest of the house. Right now they are out exploring Memory Hill. I've never had company like them before. She brought food, sheets and pillow cases, towels, etc, etc. They will be here until Friday.

Dennis Robinson and his son, Jeff, pent some time at Memory Hill. Jeff has been a very sick person. Now he is doing great for which I am thankful. I sure enjoyed their visit. They live at or near Mooresville, Indiana.

Marcia McLaughlin, of Waterford, Michigan, and her aunt, Linnie Ballard, of Jackson, Ky., also paid Memory Hill a visit. Marcia is out of the Bach family. She is very proud of her heritage. She promised to pay another visit to Memory Hill in the near future and spend more time. She is now retired and will do more visiting of her relatives and friends. She was at the Bach-Back reunion. Other visitors include Victor Lykins (thanks Victor for the vegetables), and Lora and Tom Westfall, of Amelia, Ohio, and several others.

Geraldine Benton has been released from the Salyersville Nursing Home. We all are so thankful she is much improved. Rosetti Adams remains about the same.

A small crowd attended the Holbrook Memorial meeting on Middle Fork in Magoffin County. Thanks Bill Stamper and Wanda for your presence. Deborah and I and Bill and Wanda were the only ones from the Martha Ellen Holbrook (Wardie's mother) were present sure hope more can attend next year. I sure appreciate Auttis Cox for his interest in the meeting. Odes Williams, who recently died, was so interested in carrying on this memorial meeting. He promised Wardie he would take charge and her certainly did his lifetime.

Thanks, Auttis, for taking charge now. I know I was disappointed that so few of Granville and Rebecca Holbrook's descendants were not present. So please, Holbrook descendants, mark on your calender the fourth Sunday in September 2009. Wardie's grandmother, Rebecca, was so special to him. I was thankful I had a chance to know her. One thing in particular I remember about her was in 1937 (a year before Wardie and I were married) I met Wardie at his grandmother's house. I was teaching my first school in Breathitt County at Mud Lick just across the hill from Middle Fork in Magoffin County. Wardie and I hadn't seen each other for sometime. We thought we had a chance to discuss some things. Anyway, Wardie's grandmother came in and said, "Hazel here is your bed and in the other room is Wardie's". Wardie and I often laughed about her putting us to bed before we had a chance to have a conversation.

In closing, I want to thank each and everyone for your phone calls, letters, donations, visits, etc. Hopefully goodbye until two weeks from now.

Junction News

By Kathy Bolin

The main topic I would like to address today is our upcoming all-day gospel singing that will be Sunday, Oct. 12. On Sunday eveing, we will start a revival with Bobby Jenkins, of Fairborn, Ohio. Everyone come out for a great day of good food, singing, preaching and company. What else could anybody want?

Congratulations to Addison and Debbie Manley, who recently celebrated 66 years of matrimony. Whew!

Morgan County schools will be on fall break this Thursday and Friday. I hope students and staff a great vacation!

Brenda Jenkins is doing well in her recovery. She is waiting for her next doctor visit. Hopefully she will get out of her body cast.

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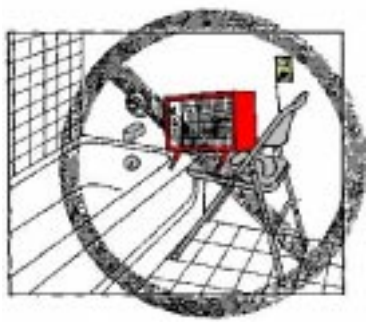

- Be sure the plug fits snugly in the outlet. Since a loose plug can overheat, have a qualified repairman replace the worn-out plug or outlet. Since heaters draw lots of power, the cord and plug may feel warm. If the plug feels hot, unplug the heater and have a qualified repairman check for problems. If the heater and its plug are found to be working properly, have the outlet replaced. Using a heater with a hot cord or plug could start a fire.
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Hunters should follow safety laws to prevent hunting injuries, death

As hunting seasons approach, Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources officials are urging hunters to follow safe firearms handling rules and to always hunt with safety in mind. While specific details of the incidents are not being released due to pending investigations, preliminary evidence suggests nearly all could have been prevented. Four of the five deaths involved firearms.

"It's a matter of going back to the basics," said Sgt. John Anderson, with Kentucky Fish and Wildlife's Law Enforcement Division. "Of all the incidents I've heard about, they all could have been avoided by following the basic safety rules."

Those rules include the basics of safe gun handling, laws that require hunter orange clothing during firearms deer and elk season, mandatory hunter education requirements and tree stand safety. These rules, when followed at all times, make hunting a safe sport for all participants.

"Almost all hunting incidents involve a lapse in following safety rules," said Bill Balda, hunter education program supervisor for Kentucky Fish and Wildlife.

Basic gun safety rules include the following:

• Always point your firearm in a safe direction.

• Keep the firearm's action open and the firearm unloaded until you are ready to shoot.

• Know your target. Do not shoot at sound or movement.

• Know what is beyond your target. Make sure there is a safe background that you will stop your bullet behind the target.

• Do not hunt or shoot after drinking alcohol or taking drugs. Some prescription medications warn against operating machinery after taking them and should not be used when handling a firearm.

Kentucky law requires hunters to wear unbroken hunter orange clothing visible from all sides on the head, back and chest when hunting during a gun deer or elk season. Hunter orange clothing makes hunters more visible and ensures they are not mistaken for game. It also makes hunters visible in the background beyond someone else's potential target.

The law also requires adults to accompany at all times kids under the age of 16 who hunt deer, elk or turkey with a firearm. The adult must remain in a position to take immediate control of the child's firearm at all times. Adults may not accompany more than two youth hunters at the same time.

Additionally, adults must accompany kids under the age of 12 hunting any species with any equipment, if the child has not yet passed a hunter education course. Accompanying adults must remain beside youth hunters, in a position to take immediate control of the child's bow or firearm at all times, and must meet Kentucky's hunter education law.

"All too often, what we'll see is an adult taking a child hunting, but the adult wants to hunt himself, so he takes up a position within sight but some distance away," said Sgt. Anderson. "When hunting with a child, the child ha to be the priority."

Statistics show that hunting is one of the safest sports people can participate in.

"In the last 15 years since hunter education became mandatory, we average 4 1/4 incidents per 100,000 participants each year," said Balda.

This compares to a national average of more than 2,000 incidents per 100,000 participants in both football and basketball, and more than 1,000 each in soccer and baseball.

"The problem with accidents in hunting is a higher proportion of fatalities," said Balda.

Up to one-fourth of hunting incidents involve the use of tree stands, and many of these are fatal. Hunters should always wear a safety harness to minimize risk.

"It takes extra effort to be safe going up into a tree stand," said Balda. "You need to be tied off going up, tied off while you're in it, and tied off when you're coming down."

Balda admits that many hunters do not go to those lengths when using a tree stand. But taking the time to do so could save a hunter's life.

"If everyone tied off going up and down a tree stand, and everyone made sure of what they were shooting at, hunting would be even safer than it is – and it is one of the safest sports you can take up," said Balda.

More than 300 hunter education courses are offered throughout Kentucky each year. The courses teach firearms and tree stand safety, hunting ethics and more. Hunter education is required for all hunters born on or after Jan. 1, 1975, expect kids under 12 and hunters who are license exempt. A one-time temporary hunter education exemption permit is available for $5 online at fw.ky.gov, which allows hunting for one year from the date of purchase without a hunter education card. All hunters who take advantage of the exemption permit, even if they are adults, must be accompanied by an adult who meets Kentucky's hunter education law. Hunter education is strongly recommended for all hunters, even for those not legally required to take a course.

Following safety rules at all times can prevent hunting incidents and save lives. For more information on safe hunting and to study Kentucky's official hunting safety course, visit www.hunter-ed.com. For information on hunting regulation, including full details of Kentucky's hunter orange clothing law and rules for adults hunting with kids, call 1-800-858-1549 or pick up a copy of the 2007-2008 Kentucky Hunting and Trapping Guide, available wherever licenses are sold.

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Crosscountry...

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43rd with at 26.20 time followed by Tyler Haney with a 26.53 time to finish 46th.

Powell County Meet - Elementary 2.3 K - The girls once again were able to field a team and took five of the top seven spots to come in first team overall. The squad was led by Skyler Goodpaster with one of her best runs, with a time of 13.39 to finish 2nd. Amberlee Markwell placed 3rd with one of her better times at 13.55 followed by her sister, Morgan Markwell, with at time of 14.04 to place 5th. Dakota Goodpaster placed 7th with an 18.45 time. Josh Lane, the lone runner for the boys' team, placed 6th with a time of 14.58.

Middle School Girls - Cheyenne (Little Bit) Perkins ran one of her best races of the season to come in 1st with an 11.45 time. Halley Wilson placed 4th with one of her better times of 12.24.

High School Girls and Boys 5K - Lindsey Fugate placed 4th with a 22.54 time. The boys' team, placing several runners with their PB (Personal Best) time helped the team earn a Team Second Place finish overall. Cory Harper placed 9th with a 20.40(PB). Cory Murphy placed 14th with a 22.03(PB). Cory Linkous placed 15th with a 22.10(PB). Ryan Steele placed 20th with a 24.40(PB) and Tyler Haney placed 25th with a 25.56 time.

Coming soon: Oct. 25-08: All Area '08. Come out and cheer your team on to victory!!

UK Korner ...

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is the very weekend that it should happen. The Wildcats proved to themselves that they can play with college football's elite with the narrow 17-14 loss at Alabama. Rich Brooks' team will go into Saturday's game with a ton of confidence. UK leads the nation in scoring defensive (7 ppg) and finally have the firepower on that side of the ball to contain Spurrier's high powered offense. Look for Kentucky to take care of bbbbbusiness. Cats win by 10.

Volleyball ...

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by good defense from Eagle (13 digs, 2 assists), Chelsea Steele (10 digs), Howard (12 digs), Emily Nickell (8 digs, 6 assists), and Elam (14 digs, 3 assists). Eagle and Nickell served up three aces to win the first set over Fleming, 25-16.

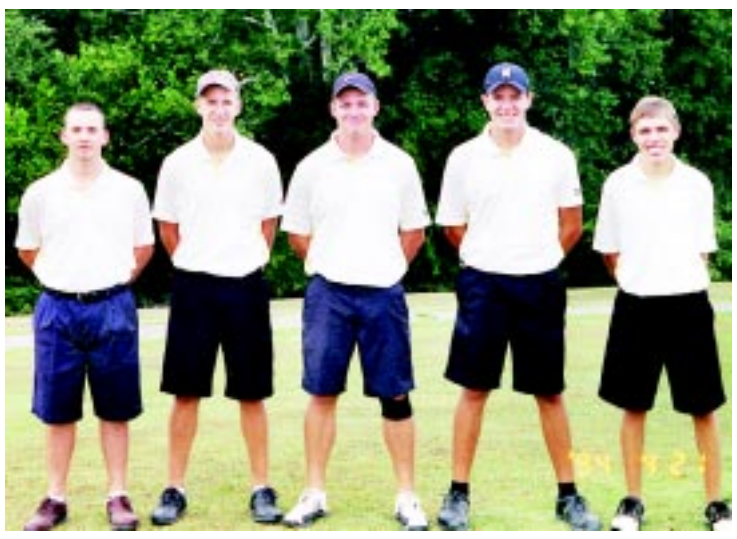
A breakdown in player communication on the court by the Lady Cougars gave Fleming the edge in the second set, allowing them to eke out a 23-20 win.

But Morgan battled back to win the final set, 25-22. With the lead see-sawing, The Lady Cougars upped their effort on the net and with coordinated defense and assists went on to win the set and the game. Eagle had a dig, three kills and a block along with another double block with Adkins, and one assist. Peyton came up with eight digs, served an ace, and had two kills. Adkins posted two kills, and a double block with Eagle. Motley had six digs, two kills, and two blocks. Steele scooped seven digs. Howard 12 digs, Elam two digs, and Brooks came up with six digs.

The Lady Cougars are now 22-6 on the season and are 4-0 in district play.

Morgan County will play in the district tournament on Oct. 14 at 7:15 p.m. against the winner of the East Carter vs. West Carter game.

The 16th region tournament will be played at Morgan County, with the opening round scheduled Oct. 20.



Senior golfers

Anchoring Coach Chris Trusty's Morgan County High School Golf Team this year are these five seniors, from left, Jon Cottle, Joel Nickell, Tyler Adkins, Colby Jones, and Josh Perry. Congratulations on a great season!

Cougars ...

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with Joel Nickell on a 40- yard touchdown pass. Curd finished the night completing two of five attempts for 53 yards.

"It's hard to do anything when you're running for your life," said Purnell of his sophomore quarterback. "But it wasn't just Jarred. I honestly don't know how Ryan Flannery or Jacob Flack are even walking. These kids refused to stop running. But when you have no blocking or protection up front, it's tough to get anything done."

Kyle Havens led the Cougar ground game with 15 carries for 48 yards. Flack and Flannery finished with 27 and 23 yards, respectively.

The Cougars hit the road again Friday night to take on Bath County in Owingsville. The Wildcats have beaten Shelby Valley (14-12) and Powell County (34-20) over the last two weeks to run their record to 4-2 on the season.

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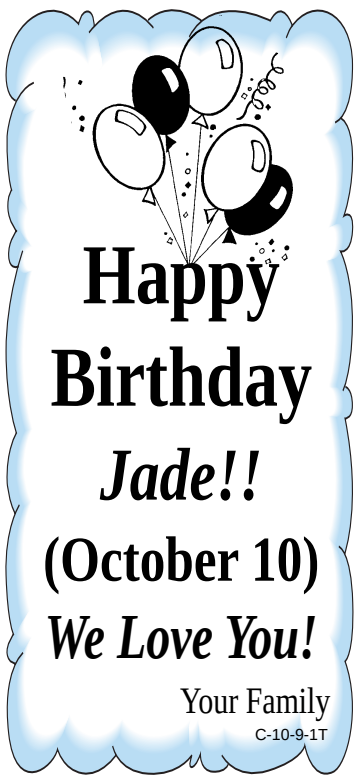

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COURIER SPORTS

2008 MCHS Varsity Volleyball Lady Cougars—Front from left, Emily Nickell, Danielle Dunn, Rickayla Ison, Meghan Howard, Bri Peyton, Leslie Eagle, Chelsea Steele, Whitney Brooks, April Vest, Sheyenne Wireman; back from left, Assistant Coach Teddy Peyton, Alyssa Elam, Karen Lewis, Kaytie Motley, Bri Adkins, Faith Slone, Becca Elam, and head coach Tammy Hensley.

Lady Cougars 1-2 in recent action, now 22-6 for season

District tournament action scheduled for Tuesday, October 14

The Lady Cougars lost a couple of games while winning one in recent volleyball action.

The losses were to Russell at home on Sept. 25 and on the road to Mt. Sterling on Sept. 30.

The Lady Cougars started strong against Russell, winning the first set 25-17 behind the great net play of Bri Peyton, Kaytie Motley, and Bri Adkins. Adding to Morgan's momentum were focused serves from Leslie Eagle (4 aces) and an ace apiece from Meghan Howard and Alyssa Elam. Strong defense by Eagle, Peyton, Elam, Howard, and Becca Elam added the the needed balance to give Morgan the first set win.

However, the second set saw the momentum swing to the Lady Red Devils as Morgan fell short, 25-18, and then lost the tie-breaker, 25-12.

The Lady Cougars then lost in straight sets, 25-23, 25-12, on the road against Mt. Sterling before getting back on track on the road against Fleming County on Oct. 2.

Starting strong, Morgan's net play by Eagle (4 kills), Adkins (1 kill), Motley (2 kills an 2 blocks), and Elam (1 kill), was balanced

See VOLLEYBALL Page 16

UK Korner

David Patrick
News Reporter

Cats Take Aim At Spurrier

It was just one year ago that the Kentucky Wildcats traveled to Columbia, South Carolina with a perfect 5-0 record and a #8 national ranking. A win would have made UK the first team in the country to be bowl eligible—not to mention staking the Cats firmly atop the SEC's tough eastern division.

But it simply wasn't to be. Despite rolling up nearly 400 yards of total offense, the Cats fumbled away any chance of victory—including two that were returned for touchdowns by USC defensive end Eric Norwood. In front of a national television audience, the Cats missed on the perfect opportunity for a statement win.

Of course, that "statement" win would come just one week later with a 43-37 triple overtime upset of then #1 ranked LSU. But the sting of the South Carolina loss has stuck in the minds of UK players, coaches and fans. And the Cats would love nothing better than to lay the wood to the Gamecocks this weekend in Lexington.

And while stopping an eight-game skid to South Carolina would be sweet, the real motivation is to beat Steve Spurrier. The 'ole ball coach is a perfect 15-0 against UK in his career. While at Florida, Spurrier was responsible for some of Kentucky's most humiliating losses in the SEC—including a 73-7 shellacking in 1994 and a 65-point blowout just two years later.

Kentucky desperately wants to beat Spurrier—more than any other coach anywhere. And this

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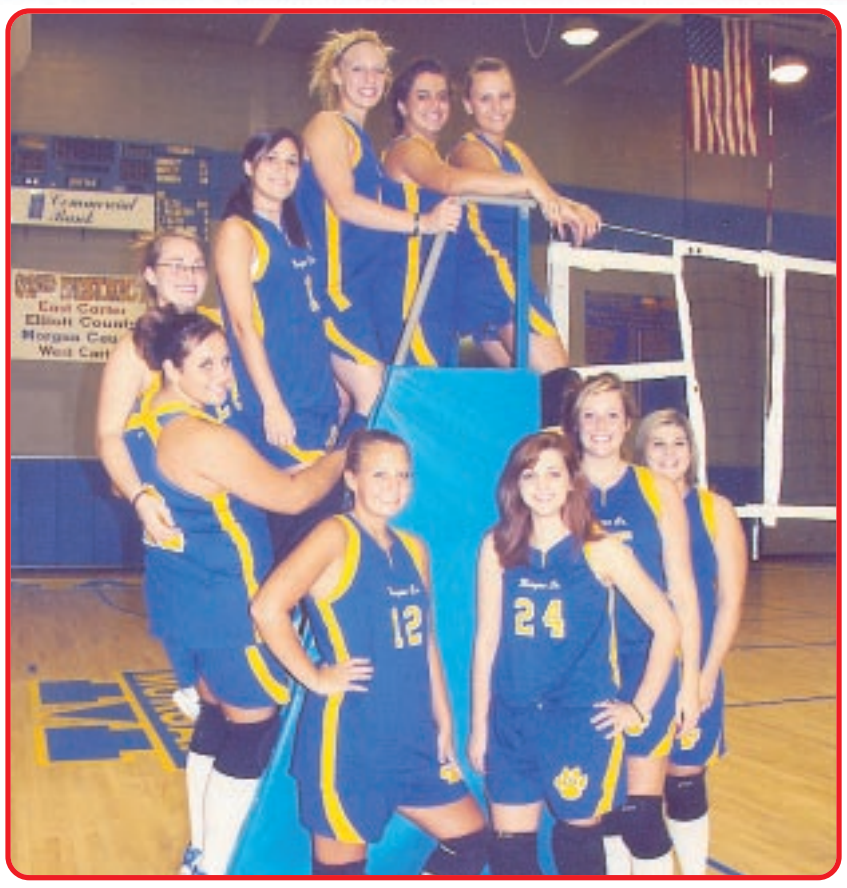
ATHLETES OF THE WEEK



MCHS Senior Volleyball Players:

This week's Athletes of the Week are the MCHS senior volleyball players. Senior members are Bri Peyton, Leslie Eagle, Megan Howard, Alyssa Elam, Kaytie Motley, Becca Elam, April Vest, Danielle Dunn, Kara Lewis and Whitley Brooks. These seniors have helped the Cougars manage a 20-7 record and are looking for a back-to-back district championship. Congrats to the senior members of the MCHS volleyball team.

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MCMS Cougars edge Bath to win conference title; remain undefeated

Playoffs slated next week at Herdman Field

The Morgan Middle School Cougars played their final regular season game last Thursday against the Bath County Wildcats. Coming into the game, both teams were undefeated, and the district championship was at stake.

The Cougars won the toss and elected to defer to the second half. Eli Haney kicked off and the Cougar defense held the Wildcats. Bath County's punt was a booming kick and went inside the 15 yard line. After one first down, the Cougars were also forced to punt. Cougar punter, Eli Haney, mishandled the snap and the Wildcats took over inside the twenty yard line. The momentum swung in a hurry, and in just three plays Bath County scored. The PAT was no good and Bath led 6-0.

Much of the rest of the first half was a back and forth battle of two very physical football teams. The Cougars second drive ended on the 12 yard line with an interception. The third drive finally saw the Cougar offense come up with a score. Jordan Whitt ran 22 yards on a draw play for the Cougar TD. The Cougars converted the PAT on an Eli Haney kick, and led 8-6.

To open the second half, Bath County successfully converged on an onside kick and threatened to score, again. However, the Cougar defense stiffened and once again Bath County was forced to punt. Kody Thornsberry ran the kick all the way back, but the return was nullified due to a penalty. Three plays later, the Cougars scored. And again, penalty flags took the score off the board. The Cougars were then forced to punt. "We had worked all week on onside kicks. I have told my kids all year that penalties and turnovers were the difference when two good teams play." said Cougar Coach Brian Turner. "I'm surprised that we were able to beat Bath after making so many mistakes."

Photo by Sherry Hamilton

The Morgan Middle Cougars proved their mettle against Bath County last week to capture the conference championship. The Cougars (blue team), shown here on offense, finished the season undefeated. It was the first loss of the season for the tough and rangy Bath County team.

In the fourth quarter, with the score still 8-6, the Cougars on a 4th down and 4 situation on the 49 yard line, called time out. Said Coach Turner after the game, "I told the kids that I knew our defense was playing well, so, if we didn't make it we could still stop them; but, if we could convert- we could keep their offense off the field." The Cougars ran the fullback wedge play and initially it looked as though Whitt would be stopped. However, a great second effort allowed him to break out and pick up the crucial first down. "That play not only kept the drive alive, but it led to our second score- which pretty much sealed the win for us," Turner said. "That play was huge." Eli Haney drove the PAT through the uprights and the Cougars led 16-6.

Bath County put together a nice drive, but, on third and long, the Wildcat QB dropped back to pass and Cougar defensive tackle JT Brown broke through the line for the sack. The Cougars held and were able to grind out the clock and hold on for the 16-6 win.

Statistically, the Cougars were led in rushing by Joe Holbrook, (57 yards on 13 carries and one TD). Walker Crase carried the ball 6 times for 28 yards. Larrin Collins had 13 yards on four carries. Jordan Whitt had 54 yards on 9 carries, with one TD. The Cougars were led in tackles, once again, by Walker Crase with 8 (one tackle for a loss). Jordan Whitt had 5. Eli Haney, Tyler Conley, Kody Thornsberry, and Austin Arnett each had 3. JT Brown had a sack, with an assist from Eli Haney.

The win allowed the Cougars to finish the regular season undefeated. It also made the Cougars the regular season conference champs and guaranteed the Cougars home field throughout the playoffs. In playoff action, the Cougar JV team (which also won their district championship) will host Mason County. The Cougar varsity team will host Nicholas County. Both games will be played Thursday at Herdman field, with a 6 o'clock kickoff for the JV game and the arsity game will follow immediately afterward.

2nd annual Sorghum Run a success

The first run in 2007 consisted of three teams with a total of 33 runners. This year's run consisted of eight teams and over 130 runners. The coaches and runners liked the new course and thought it was more like a cross country course. The offical, Bob Stacy from Fairview, parised the course and suggested a few changes to make it even beetter. He also mentioned that the course was about a minute slower. The suggested changes have been made and school officials are in the process of preparing for the upcoming All Area to be hosted by MCHS on Oct. 25 when 300-400 runners from 22 schools will be participating.

Sorghum Run: Elementary Girls and boys 1600 meter - Skyler Goodpaster placed 7th with a 9.23 time.

Riley Jenkins placed 8th with a 9.52 time and Dakota Goodpaster finished 15th with a 12.00 flat time.

Josh Lane was the lone runner for the Morgan boys. He finished 8th witha 9.52 time.

Middle School Girls and Boys 3000 Meter - Halley Wilson led the attack by placing 3rd with a time of 15.35 time followed closely in 4th by Cheyenne Perkins with at 15.40 time. Morgan Markwell finished 9th with at 17.26 time. Amberlee Markwell finished 13th with an 18.04 time. Boys - Casey came in 3rd with a 12.25 and Ryan Steele finished 6th with a 13.58 time.

High School Girls and Boys 5K - The lone runner for MCHS girls was Amy Evans with a time fo 28.59 to place 6th.

Cory Harper finished first of the Morgan County group with a time fo 23. 58 to place 12th followed by Cory Linkous at 24.15 to place 14th. Cory Murphy came in 16th with a time of 25.63 and Tyler Haney came in 21st with a 27.24 time. The coaches would like to thank parents who helped with the meet. A thank you to Mr. Sam Long for allowing us to put some of our course on his land. Thanks also to Isaiah Prater and Keisha Whisman from the National Honor Society for coming out and volunteering their time to help with the meet.

Run for the Barrell - Winchester - Middle School Girls dominate 2500 meter run and the team places 1st!! The team was led by Lindsey Fugate who came in 2nd with a time of 12.26. Cheyenne Perkins came in 3rd. Halley Wilson came in 4thhhhh. Skyler Goodpaster came in 5th . Amberlee Markwell came in 7th. Riley Jenkins came in 8th . Samantha McGraw came in 9th. Morgan Markwell came in 10th and Dakota Goodpaster came in

The MCHS girls team won first place at the Magoffin Founder's Day Run.

11th. Boys - Casey Ward ran an 11.56 to finish 3rd. Ryan Steele came in 5th with a time of 13.24 followed by Josh Lane in the 14th spot and a time of 16.42.

Girls and Boys 5K - Amy Evans let the way with a 29.51 to come in, in the 21st place. Kim Hutchinson placed 22nd with a time of 30.04 and Arin Oldfield came in 23rd with a time of 30.10.

On the boys' side: Cory Harper placed 23d with a time of 21.33, followed by Cory Linkous in 39th place with a time of 25. 07. Cory Murphy finished

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Jones leads Fairview to 55-6 romp over Morgan

Cougars score lone TD on Curd to Nickell 40-yard pass play

By David Patrick

Fairview quarterback Matt Jones accounted for 247 yards of total offense and four touchdowns as the host Eagles beat Morgan County, 55-6 last Friday.

jones put his team's first points on the board with a 38 yard scoring run in the first quarter. That was followed with a two-yard touchdown run by T. J. Shelton as the Eagles claimed a 13-0 lead after one period.

Fairview then put the game completely out of reach with a 35-point second quarter. Jones began the scoring spree with a 24- yard touchdown run and then completed a two-point conversion pass to Jeff Evans for a 21-0 lead. After Drew Boyd scored on a two-yard run, Jones took it in from 36 yards out to make it a 35- 0 game. The Eagles then closed the period with scoring runs by Shelton and Boyd for a commanding 48-point lead at the half.

"We played horribly in the first half—and for that matter—the entire game," said Cougar head coach Jake Purnell. "It's the first time I've ever seen our kids really down. I'm not saying that they ever quit, but at the half,

Photo By Kent Nickell

Cougar wide receiver David Downey hauls in a pass, one of two Morgan completions in game against Fairview.

they looked like they'd been whipped. It was a tough thing to see."

Also tough to see was Jones lighting up the scoreboard again in the third quarter.

The Eagle quarterback scampered 23 yards for his team's only touchdown of the second half.

The Cougars finally got on the board early in the fourth quarter when Jarred Curd connected

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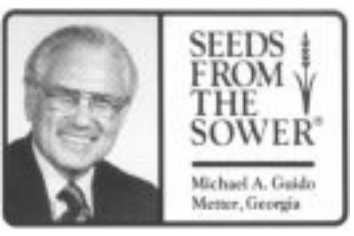
West Liberty Elementary Students of the Month for August

Front row, L to R: Ashton Whitt, 1st grade; Lynnzey Blevins, 1st grade; Emma Fugate, 2nd grade; Krista Perry, Kindergarten; Noah Burton, 2nd; Tyler Lewis, Kindergarten. Back row, L to R: Hannah Lyon, 5th grade; Sidney Trimble, 4th grade; Autumn Keeton, 4th grade; Brittany Payne, 3rd; Michael Prater, 3rd grade; Jacob Howell, 5th grade.

Club holds last tournament of year

Headwaters Bass Club held it's annual two day Classic Tournament at Paintsville Lake October 4 and 5. Members' totaled the weight of their catches for both days. The big fish for the first day went to Rick Salyer and Cordale Francis, weighing .91 pounds. Winning first place and big fish were Josh Sword and Tim Smith with a two day total of 6.08 pounds; their big fish weighed 2.10 pounds. Second place went to Rick Salyer and Cordale Francis with a weight of 5.82 pounds. Third place went to Andrew and Martha Legg with 3.55 pounds. Fourth place went to Terry Whitt and Les Howard with 1.92 pounds. This was the last tournament of the year for the club.



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(EDITOR'S NOTE: Despite debunkers, the tale of Jonathan Swift and his lost silver mines and Swift's adventures in the wilderness of what is now this area of Eastern Kentucky has intrigued Kentuckians of all walks of life since the days of Daniel Boone. For well over 200 years, many have searched for the mines and caches of silver bars and coins recorded in a Journal supposedly kept by Swift and entrusted to a woman who befriended him as he lay dying. But as far as is known, no one to date has been successful and the story of the mine and its treasure remains a mystery. The following account of Swift and his comrades, gleaned from various historical works, was written by Earl W. Kinner, Sr., late publisher of this newspaper, and is reprinted from a June 1963 edition of this paper.)

Hunts, Finds Mine In 1760

It was before the French and Indian War that the French lad Mundy revealed his secret to Swift, but they had to wait until after the war to locate the mine. The Journal tells of their search for the mine in 1760, thus—

"The first trip we came Mundy got lost. We put our horses on the river called 'Red.' We put them in a place surrounded by cliffs and fastened to the entrance with grape vines. We crossed the river to the other side and wandered around all day and came back from where we started from. The next day Mundy said he would go down the river to the Indian Trace (trail). He would know the way then. He went down the river two or three miles west and found the Indian trail. So we wandered all that day and next. Late in the evening Mundy hollowed out, 'Here is the Myrtle thicket. I know the way now.'

"We went down a flight of Indian stair steps at the top of the cliff and crossed to the other side. We climbed up and went 200 yards on the second ledge and found the opening in the mines.

"If you strike the creek below the furnace keep in the creek searching diligently for a big rock house on the left hand side about 100 yards above the rock house, the furnace is in, the creek makes a bend or turn to the south and there is the fallen rock in the creek near the bend. If you discover the furnace to go to the middle mine, go up over a southeast course until you come to a remarkable hanging rock very high up with a gap in between it and a very large mountain on the site, within 100 yards and you will find a line of rocks the mine is in. Search diligently for the said line rocks for the passage into the mine.

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"The last trip we came we saw our mine was so immensely rich it was decided by our party to abandon the mine for three years and for me to go to England to get a party interested to come over here and help work the mine on a large scale. Our mine was so much richer than any I had seen in England. There was smart talk of war. I talked so free in favor of a free country that I was arrested and put into prison.

"When the war broke out the put me in th navy. I fought through the Revolutionary War and it was 15 years before I came back to Virginia.

"When I returned I could not find any of the party; just supposing they got killed in the war. The last I heard of Mundy he started to Kentucky with a party of six men to get the middle treasure. The hard winter I had spent in Kentucky and the exposure I had lost my eye sight. I got six men to come to Kentucky to see if we could locate the mine. By the time we had started my eye sight had failed so I led them only as the blind. I could not see for others but these rocks and hills were just as plain before my eyes as the day I had left them."

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